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WILD SWEARING.

The Alabama Red Hots Perjured Before the Kuklux Committee.

A Talk of Prosecuting Them for the High Crime.

IN A BAD FIX.

[Special Telegraphic Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.]

WASHINGTON, June 17.—Governor Lindsay testified before the Kuklux Committee to-day again, and enforced by incontrovertible evidence what he had formerly stated in reference to the peace and order of the State of Alabama. Mr. Clanton, Chairman of the Democratic State Committee, has arrived here, and will appear before the committee on Monday or Tuesday. He states that he can only corroborate all that Governor Lindsay has sworn to, because he has given the true condition of affairs in the State in denying the statements of Lakin and others. Some of the testimony of certain Republicans of the State has been made public, and gentlemen who know Alabama better agree that there has been the wildest kind of swearing and that many of the witnesses have made themselves liable to prosecution for perjury. In some instances facts have been distorted to suit the views of Radicals which will be discovered, not by oral testimony, but by the production of court records and by testimony adduced in the trial of causes before Republican Judges. The committee has summoned a large number of witnesses on both sides, and there seems to be a determination to sift matters as thoroughly as possible. This is certainly the purpose of Judge Poland, who is the leading Republican on the committee during the absence of Senator Scott. Gov. Lindsay left to-night for New York.

CATHOLIC CELEBRATION.

The Catholic residents of Washington have very generally illuminated to-night in honor of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Pontificate of Pope Pius IX. Among the most brilliant illuminations is that at the residence of Gen. Sherman.

[To the Associated Press].

THE MCCARTNEY DEFALCATION.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The investigations into the defalcation of McCartney, of the Postoffice Department, has developed the fact that Olmstead, McCartney's predecessor, has not been prosecuted for his embezzlements, amounting to $50,000, nor have his bondsmen been required to pay the amounts for which they are responsible. Olmstead is not in custody, and has not been molested since he was bailed, more than two years ago.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue will probably renew his suggestions to Congress next winter in favor of a law allowing a drawback of tax paid on whisky exported, besides making other suggestions calculated to relieve this business from some of its present burdens. The distillers are now taxed to pay, in addition to the tax of fifty cents on the gallon, the salary of storekeepers, gangers' fees, and for locks, meters, etc. The Commissioner thinks the business of his Bureau can be greatly simplified, and that the tax be much more willingly paid by distillers if the tax per gallon were increased sufficiently to cover these extra expenses, and then have officials paid out of the public treasury.

REVENUE.

The amount of internal revenue collected thus far during the present fiscal year, is about $130,000,000, and the Commissioner estimates that it will amount to about $165,000,000 for the first of next month. This is $30,000,000 more than Delano estimated in his report last December, and shows an increase of about 30 per cent. in the business of the country from which internal revenue is derived. As the production of whisky has fallen off considerably, the increase in other branches must have been considerably greater.

THE PRESIDENT'S VISIT

to the Pacific coast, in August, will be made in a special excursion car from New York. The car will be stopped and detained at places where the President desires to visit. He will be accompanied by Gen. Porter, Senator McDonald and other distinguished gentlemen.

THE OUTRAGE COMMITTEE.

The sub-committee on Southern outrages are making better progress than the members expected when the session began. The full committee meets here on the 26th of September, and at the question is expected that not only the committee now in session here will complete its labors, but that the subcommittee which will be sent South within a month will also have finished its labors, and be ready to report at that time.

A PRECIOUS SECRET.

Hon. E. C. Bradley, Solicitor of the Treasury, Col. Whitely, Chief of the Secret Service, and Messrs. Jones, Mayor and Gibson were appointed a few weeks ago to go to California with a quantity of treasury notes, and bring back about three million dollars in gold. They arrived yesterday morning and have safely delivered the treasure. The greatest secrecy is observed in regard to these transfers, and west of the Missouri river they were guarded by a strong military force.

FINANCIAL HISTORY.

The financial history of the country from 1776 to 1871, now preparing under government control, will soon be completed. Since it became known that the Government was at work on this great history, numerous claims against the United States, growing out of the revolutionary war have been received.

NEW JERSEY RAILROADS

have filed claims with the Commissioner of Internal Revenue for the remission of tax ordered assessed on dividends declared during the last five months of 1870.

APPOINTMENTS, &C.

The Commissioner of Pensions has reappointed Dr. A. T. Augusta, colored, who was removed by Commissioner Colvill. He proposes to be examining surgeon of the Pension Bureau.

General Smith, Second Assistant Postmaster General, declines to accept the position of Governor of New Mexico, preferring to take his chances for recovering his health in the same country. His friends consider this a doubtful experiment.

Sir Edward Thornton, British Minister, with his family will sail from New York on the 28th for London. It is rumored in diplomatic circles that he will be elevated to a higher position, and receive an Ambassador's appointment. Lord Alfred Lyeal is spoken of his successor in Washington.

VANDERBILT'S SCRIP.

No instructions have yet been received from the Treasury Department relative to the application of the tax case by the New York Central Railroad. The matter is delayed a few days in order to receive the decision of the company as to accepting or taking the debt in accordance with the decision of the law officers of the Government. In case no such acknowledgment is made the officers will proceed to enforce the collection of the tax by distraint and other legal measures.

THE LOAN.

Subscriptions to-day amount to $40,300.

THE M'GARRAHAN CLAIMS.

It is stated on good authority that the President has given positive instructions to the Secretary of the Interior to restore the McGarrahan record to the condition it was in before it was mutilated. This step is in accordance with the recommendation of Hagham's attorney report last winter, which was adopted by the House, but was laid on the table by a decided vote in the Senate.

KUKLUX WITNESSES.

NEW YORK, June 17.—A special from Washington says the process of obtaining witnesses before the Kuklux Committee is found to be much less difficult than was apprehended. The matter of subpoenaing witnesses from the most remote regions of the country requires only a few hours, and, as a consequence, the committee is obtaining a vast mass of important and pertinent testimony, which will be ready for submission to Congress immediately upon its assembling. There has not yet been a single instance where witnesses have been telegraphed for that a favorable response has not been received the same day. The general disposition on the part of Southern men is to give the committee all the information they possess. In this respect it is generally remarked that some new influence is at work in the Southern States.

TENNESSEE.

The Chattanooga Railroad Difficulty —A Distillery Released.

NASHVILLE, June 17.—Two years ago Supervisor Emory seized the distillery of Kirkpatrick, Scoffier & Co., at Chattanooga, and it has been closed since through the instrumentality of the present Supervisor, General Stokes. The suit has been compromised, and the distillery put in possession of the owners. It is one of the largest in the State, and paid a large amount of revenue.

The steppage of the Alabama and Chattanooga railroad is inflicting much injury upon business men in Nashville, Chattanooga and other places, besides obstructing the carriage of mails and passengers on the shortest route to New Orleans. It is believed that but for the bankruptcy proceedings, arrangements could be made to run the road successfully, and pay all its creditors. Governor Lindsay, of Alabama, telegraphs from Washington that he will go home to make satisfactory arrangements with Stanton, and hopes everybody will be quiet and patient, and he will use every effort to protect all interests.

Death of a Distinguished Marylander.

BALTIMORE, June 17.—Hon. John Y. L. McMahon, one of the ablest and most distinguished lawyers of Maryland, died in Cumberland on Thursday night. The youngest sister of Mr. McMahon is the wife of Mr. Vallandigham.

KUKLUX.

RALEIGH, N. C., June 17.—A Kuklux band in Rockingham county disciplined that State Republican newspaper, and whipped Mr. Justice last Sunday night.

NEW YORK.

More of the Russian Prince Alexis—Senator Carpenter and the New York Central Railroad—Weston Makes Time.

THE RUSSIAN PRINCE.

NEW YORK, June 17.—It is announced that the Russian Prince Alexis and his cortage will leave St. Petersburg next August, and arrive here in the latter part of September, or early in October. A Russian corvette is now lying in the harbor of New York.

WESTON

accomplished the task of walking 400 miles in five days. He finished at 11.47 last night, having 18 minutes to spare. He made the last mile in 11 minutes and 7 seconds, showing little signs of fatigue.

Arrived—The steamship Calabria, from Liverpool.

Senator Carpenter, in a letter to the Tribune, denies he has ever been employed by the New York Central Railroad Company, at the request of a young lawyer. He went before the Commission of Internal Revenue, and stated his opinion of the effect of the statutes applicable to the case, but received no compensation for doing so, and it was distinctly understood, when he went, he should receive no remuneration.

MUTINOUS SEAMEN.

NEW YORK, June 17.—The three colored seamen charged with mutiny and murdering the captain of the American ship J. S. Bowen, were to-day committed for trial in default of $2,000 bail.

Thomas and Robert Walsh, Charles Carr and Thomas Shea, charged with mutiny and an attempt to kill the captain and mate of the British ship Manhobbs, were delivered over, under the extradition laws, to the Consul

New York Stock and Money Market.

NEW YORK, June 17—P. M.

The Gold market was dull but steady at about 112¾. Loans were made at from flat to [illegible].

The gold statement to-day, at the Gold Exchange Bank, were $54,600,000.

The exports of specie to-day were 901,124, and for the week $1,862,491.

The Government bond market was firm but dull, closing at about ¼ per cent. advance on yesterday's prices.

The Stock market opened weak and feverish under the renewed attack of the bears, who hammered down St. Paul, Union Pacific and Northwestern, with the intention of creating a panic, but failed entirely, as the market recovered rapidly this afternoon, particularly on New York Central, Western Union, Rock Island, Lake Shore and Union Pacific, which are the stocks having the largest short interest. The decline in Northwestern and St. Paul is owing to the reported quarrel between these two roads in regard to freight tariff, but this will probably be arranged soon, for the directors of both roads are believed to be long of the stock, and it is not for their interests to reduce freight. The Express says the stock market at the close was firmer on the bank statement and an announcement from Washington that Secretary Boutwell had ordered that the collection of the tax on New York Central be suspended for the present, and also that Caleb Cushing and Governor Fenton were working in the interest of the company.

Money remains in abundant supply at 5 per cent.

The bank statement is favorable to continued ease in money. The changes in the averages are as follows:

BANK STATEMENT.

Loans, decrease	$676,629
Specie, increase	1,273,357
Circulation, decrease	1,000
Deposits, increase	1,331,854
Legal-Tenders, increase	1,758,533

In loans the securities Treasury certificates have been strong, but the remainder of the list were dull and heavy.

Sterling exchange, 109¾@109¾ bills, 110¾.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Coupons of '81	7½	Coupons of '67	7½
Coupons of '62	112¾	Coupons of '68	112¾
Coupons of '64	112¾	Coupons of '65, new	112¾
Coupons of '65	112¾	Coupons of '65, old	112¾
Do new	112¾	Coupons of '67	112¾
Coupons of '67	112¾	Coupons of '68	112¾
Coupons of '68	112¾	Ten-forties	110¾
Currency 6's	118½		

STATE BONDS.

Missouri	86½	Tennessee 6's	67¾
Old Ten	72½	Old N. Car	27
New Tenn	72½	New N. Car	27
New Virginia	73		

STOCKS.

Canton	83½	Rock Island	123½
Cumberland, U. Tel	39½	Reading	101½
Quicksilver	15¾	St. Paul	59½
Mariposa	4¾	Do preferred	77½
Do preferred	9¼	Wabash	56½
Adams Express	80½	Do preferred	81
Wells & Fargo	80½	Ft. Wayne	95¾
Amer. Express	54	Terre Haute	20
U. S. Express	54½	Do preferred	59
Pacific Mail	30½	Mich. Central	96
N. Y. Cent'l, con	98¾	Do preferred	122
N. Y. Central scrip	95¾	Chicago & Alton	99¾
Erie	19¾	C. C. and I. C.	88¾
Erie preferred	36½	Burlington	115¾
Harlem	130	Lake Shore	114½
Do preferred	133	C. C. & I. C.	24
Hudson	117	Ill. Cent.	124
Mich. Central	126	Union Pacific	29¼
Michigan S.	119	Un'l Pac. bonds	103¾
Northwestern	77¾	Union Pac. bonds	91¾
Do preferred	91¾		

OUR OWN MARKET REPORT.

Specially Telegraphed to the Courier-Journal

ALBANY, N. Y., June 17.—Beeves, receipts 6,200 head, and the market continued buoyant and strong from the opening until the close. The demand is principally from shipping country dealers, and although the supply was large, it was only enough for the wants of this locality. Eastern and New York dressed beef held back expecting concessions, but were disappointed, as the advance of ¼@¾c readily secured yesterday was fully maintained. The market closed strong with no indications of concession. W. Robbins sold 17 head of Illinois, 1,270 lbs., at 7¾c; 17 head, 1,360 lbs., at 7¾c; 17 head, 1,360 lbs., at 6¾c. S. C. Goon sold 20 head of Missouri, 1,530 lbs., at 7¾c; 16 head Kentucky corn, 1,560 lbs., at 6¾c. Henry Rosenthal sold 55 head of Illinois stillers, 1,080 lbs., at 6¾@6¾c; 38 head, 1,150 lbs., at 6¾c; 36 head, 1,430 lbs., at 7¾c; 32 head, 1,430 lbs., at 7c; 72 head, 1,140 lbs., at $6 70@6 95; 120 head, 1,300 lbs., at 7@7¼c. White Brothers sold 16 head of Missouri, 1,400 lbs., at 6¾c; 20 head, 1,300 lbs., at 6¾c. Henry Rankin sold 32 head of Illinois, 1,300 lbs., at 7¼c. Prosper Eastman sold 17 head of Illinois, 1,250 lbs., at 7¼c; 18 head, 1,350 lbs., at 7c; 56 head of Texans, 1,060 lbs., at 5½@6c. Yeoman & Warner sold 76 head of Texans, 1,050 lbs., at 5¾@6c; 76 head, 1,150 lbs., at 6¾c. Livingston & Rosenthal sold 50 head of Indiana, 1,050 lbs., at 6¾c.

Sheep, receipts 12,000 head. There are very few lambs, and the quality middling. The market is steady at the late week's prices; Ohio and Kentucky 75 lbs. 6¾@6¾c; 85 lbs. 6¾@6¾c; 90 lbs. 6¾c; 80 lbs. 6c; lambs 54 lbs. 10c; 60 lbs 10¾c; New York sheep, 70 lbs. 6¾c.

Hogs, receipts 13,000 head.

THE LANAHAN MATTER.

Proceedings Before the Investigating Committee at New York Yesterday.

NEW YORK, June 17.—At the morning session of the Methodist Investigating Committee, Mr. Vanderpool, counsellor-at-law, testified that Mr. Lanahan acted by his advice in the mandamus, and did not delay Goodenough's trial. He did Dr. Lanahan's books would likely afford material evidence in the Goodenough trial, and that unless he had had access to them for examination before his appointment it would be useless to produce them on trial. Access being refused, he advised the mandamus to compel Dr. Carlton to allow the examination. The name of the Book Concern was used in the proceedings with Mr. Carlton, he being their agent. Mr. Smith, the late Governor of Texas, last witness, testified that the mandamus would not have been sought for Goodenough's trial. At the opening of the afternoon session, Judge Reynolds asked for access to the check books, bank books, vouchers and papers, for the preparation of his defence.

After a long and stormy discussion the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That, inasmuch as Dr. Lanahan has asked permission to make such examination of the accounts and books and papers of the Book Concern at New York as may be necessary for his defence, we recognize the propriety of the request, and direct that Mr. Carlton, the book agent at New York, afford such aids and facilities as Dr. Lanahan here asks, consistent with the proper care and safety of the books and papers of the Concern; provided that same shall not be removed from the building where they are ordinarily kept, and that the nomination of them shall be made under the supervision of E. Grant, the principal book-keeper of the Concern, or some other competent person who may be designated by Mr. Carlton to assist as above provided, and then, when Lanahan shall specify any books or papers which he may want, Carlton shall have a list made and proper receipts given for them.

THE INDIANS.

A Conference With Red Cloud and Other Chiefs at Fort Laramie.

CHICAGO, June 17.—Hon. Felix R. Brunot, chairman of the Board of Indian Commissioners, has just returned from Fort Laramie, where a council was held with Red Cloud and the principal chiefs of the Sioux nation in regard to locating their agency in their own country. Red Cloud and the chiefs who were present were in favor of going to the White river, some seventy-five or one hundred miles from the Platte river. The Indians are all peaceably disposed and no trouble need be anticipated with them if bad white men and whiskey can be kept away from them. Some 2,000 Indians, gaily arrayed at the river, near the fort. Red Cloud has gone to consult the chiefs who have not yet come in. The white man's council will be held in fifteen days, when the place for the agency will be named.

The Bunker Hill Celebration.

BOSTON, June 17.—The commemoration of the battle of Bunker Hill commenced at sunrise by firing salutes in Boston and Charlestown. The New York Ninth regiment arrived at 7:45 a. m., and breakfasted at the St. James Hotel. The line of March for Charlestown was formed about ten o'clock. The route of march was thronged with spectators, flags were displayed and business generally suspended.

VALLANDIGHAM.

Death of the Ohio Statesman from His Accidental Wound.

Heartrending Incidents of the Death-bed Scene.

The Country Shocked.

CINCINNATI, June 17.—Mr. Vallandigham died eighteen minutes before 10 o'clock this morning. He went down very rapidly after 8 o'clock, having no pulse scarcely after that hour. Dr. Dawson, of Cincinnati, arrived at 3 o'clock, but was too late to do any good for the dying man. Judge Haynes, his law partner, from Dayton, reached Lebanon this morning with other personal friends, who were with him during his last hours.

McGehan, in the prosecution of whose case he lost his life, was taken from the jail this morning to his residence, and [illegible] beheld the dying friend who had appeared during the progress of the trial to summon all his energy and legal acumen in his defense.

Mr. Follett made his argument for the State yesterday, and was to have been followed this morning by Mr. Milliken, and it was expected that Mr. Vallandigham would commence his argument this evening or Monday morning. Judge Pope, before whom the trial was proceeding, adjourned court this morning until Monday.

Mrs. Vallandigham started for Baltimore last evening, called thence by a dying brother.

Mr. Vallandigham's body will be taken at once to Dayton, reaching there about three o'clock.

PARTICULARS OF THE ACCIDENT.

It appears that, when the pistol was discharged, Mr. Vallandigham was hardly aware of the severe nature of the wound, as he walked around the room awhile before lying down. Governor McBurney, alarmed at the sudden appearance of a tragedy, rushed to the adjoining rooms, and at once summoned aid. As soon as persons came, Mr. Vallandigham said it was a foolish act, and still later adverted to it as the most reckless act of his life. Though he seemed to be conscious that he was badly hurt he appeared decidedly hopeful during the early hours. After the arrival from Dayton he took him by the hand and said substantially that he had too much faith in Calvinistic doctrines to believe he would not get safely through this misfortune, and told When of the surgeons to take care of the pain and he would manage the rest. When impressed with the approach of dissolution, he was calm and met the news of his condition bravely. After the arrival from Dayton he soon had the room cleared; and when no one was present intimated to Mr. Vallandigham the very serious nature of his wound. The patient, seeking for something on which to build hope, reminded the Doctor of two bad cases of injuries not fatal, known to both, and asked if his were worse than they, to which the reluctant reply was, "Possibly not." The Doctor then told Mr. Vallandigham, who was suffering pain, that they would have to administer medicines of a sedative nature and suggested that if he had anything to say he had better communicate it then.

THE DEATH-BED SCENE.

Vallandigham then conversed with the Doctor concerning private matters, giving direction in regard to his business, after which medicine to relieve the pain was injected by the hypodermic process. After this there was no time when he was not under the influence of opiates that affected somewhat his sensibility. He nevertheless appeared to keep possession of his faculties to the last. At half-past three he seemed to be dying, and his friends were called to the bedside, and from that time he rapidly sank. The pulsations at the wrist appeared to have ceased, though he was remarkably calm, so much so that Dr. Drake said he was the coolest man under such circumstances he had ever seen. He still showed occasional signs always, the face of agony. As death approached his face wore an ashy paleness. His last words were a request for ice and for medicine to allay his pain. In his last moments there were signs about his face that indicated great physical suffering. At 18 minutes before 10 o'clock this morning he was dead.

There were present in the room when he died his son Charles, seventeen years old, the only living child, with whom he and a touching incident occurred on his arrival, to which allusion was made in last night's dispatches; also John M. Sprigg, of Dayton, a nephew of his wife; J. L. Vallandigham, a nephew from Hamilton; James Vallandigham, a distant relation from Hamilton; Lieutenant Governor McBurney, Bem Pittman, of Cincinnati; David Allen, of Lebanon, and a few others. During the night and morning, he was visited by the veteran Judge Smith, of Lebanon; Gen. Ward, Judge Haynes and many others. Gov. McBurney was constantly at the room, contributing in every way in the wants of the dying man. The niece of Vallandigham, a young girl who resided with him, arrived from Dayton after his death, and was intensely grieved. The body was immediately placed on ice preparatory to removal. From this time until the departure of the remains the hotel was besieged with persons who came to see the face, which was left exposed, and the expressions were admirably preserved. The remains left Lebanon for Dayton at 2 p. m. in charge of Judge Haynes, law partner, and Judge McKeany, of Dayton. A sad feature of the case was the absence of Mrs. Valandigham, who had gone the same evening to Cumberland, Md., called there by the death of her brother, Judge McMahon. She was telegraphed and will reach Dayton to-morrow morning by 10 o'clock. The sad event cast a general gloom over Lebanon. Mr. Vallandigham, during the trial, had made numerous friends, and had, by his pleasing deportment, beaten down many prejudices. All were looking forward to his speech in the defense of McGehan, which would have been delivered to-day. Vallandigham doubtless had made unusual preparations. He intended the effort to be his great criminal one at the bar. He appeared to have thoroughly worked up the case. He entered into it with his characteristic energy and enthusiasm, and fell while he was endeavoring to still more satisfactorily explain its mysteries.

MRS. VALLANDIGHAM HEARS THE NEWS.

CUMBERLAND, MD., June 17.—MRS. C. L. Vallandigham came here to-day to attend the funeral of her deceased brother, Hon. John T. McMahon, and upon reaching this morning of the accident to and death of her husband, she became completely distracted. She is to be taken to Dayton to-night.

THE GRIEF IN CINCINNATI.

CINCINNATI, June 17.—There has been much sorrow manifested here to day concerning the tragic end of Mr. Vallandigham, and it has been by no means confined to his political friends. Persons who have differed with him and animadverted severely upon his course during the rebellion have expressed no less regret at the terrible calamity which has befallen him than have his political associates. News concerning his last hours has been devoured with avidity. Newspaper reporters who arrived from the scene this evening have been diligently sought for for more details than have thus far been published.

THE NEWS IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, June 17.—The news of the death of C. L. Vallandigham has created a profound impression in political circles here. All unite in expressions of sorrow at his untimely end and sympathy for Mrs. Vallandigham in her double bereavement. The Express says few public men, under the changed circumstances of the times, had a more growing future before them than had this distinguished citizen of Ohio. The whole Democracy of the whole country will sympathize with their brethren in Ohio in this, which is, indeed, both personally and politically, a sad bereavement.

Mr. Vallandigham's Last Hours:

[Cincinnati Times and Chronicle Lebanon Letter.]

The sufferer lies in room No. 15 of the hotel on the Broadway front, surrounded by a group of anxious friends, including Judge Pope, the counsel on both sides of the case, his surgeons and his son Charles, who reached him from Dayton shortly after 1 o'clock this morning. The meeting between father and son was a painful scene, but amidst it all Mr. Vallandigham, pale as a sheet and crushing back all exclamations of pain, is apparently the most self-composed person present. The anguish of his love for his boy finds only expression in a gentle stroking of his head and brief vocal expressions of endearment.

On Thursday evening, when the evidence closed and we were leaving the court room, he called me and said: "Welty, let us go to the hotel together." Part of the way another reporter accompanied us, and after he left us the talk was about the case of McGehan, which, as the day of the closing argument approached, seemed completely to occupy his mind and engross his attention. He was, as I wrote you in one of my letters, preparing for the great legal effort of his life. That is his zeal to prepare for that effort he sacrificed his life, stands to-day as the best evidence of the truth of what I have stated. Just before he started out after tea to take an evening ride, he bade me good-bye and said: "I will come to Cincinnati on Saturday night. Don't fail to come and see me." So I parted with a man whom, not knowing, I almost hated, but whom, knowing, I soon learned to admire and then to esteem. Others will bring their tributes of regard to his memory, but none will be more sincere than mine. W. T. P.

An Interview With Him One Week Ago.

HIS POLITICAL VIEWS.

[From the Cincinnati Times and Chronicle.]

That morning he was feeling very well. The consultation of the night before had satisfied him that the case of his client looked well, and the fact seemed to lift a burden of care from his mind, and allowed him freedom to think and talk of other matters.

After a little inquiry as to the probable length of the trial, his general ideas of the case, and some inquiries from Mr. Vallandigham about personal friends in this city, I said:

"Mr. Vallandigham, what is your opinion about the alleged difficulty with the tally-sheet in the Convention?"

He said: "I am not fully advised about that matter, but when our committee meets on the 21st, at Columbus, I shall favor a close examination into it, and if there is any mistake, it must be rectified. It looks to me, from the figures I have seen, to be a very marked discrepancy that needs explanation."

This naturally led to other talk about politics, and I said: "Mr. Vallandigham, do you think your party will be beaten in the next State canvass?" He said: "We shall not be beaten at all, especially if you show any signs of discord at the Columbus election, or make a ticket out of weak material."

At this I laughed, when he shook his head and said: "You needn't laugh. I am in earnest about what I say."

"But," said I, "how about those malcontents in the Democratic ranks?"

He thought that they could be brought into line and made to behave themselves. "But," said he—and here he warmed to his subject—"I'll tell you what I will immediate successors. The question is, which of the great parties of this country is to be the party of progress, the party of ideas? Shall it be the party of the more political campaigns fought out of the issues of the last few years. They are dead. And if the Democratic party refuses to move to the front, to accept the new order of things, it will simply pass away, and some other party, made up of the earnest, progressive elements of both the old parties, will take possession of the Government."

I inquired, "Don't you think that the campaign of '72 will be fought on the greenback issues?" He said: "That may be undertaken by our party, but it will fail. A year ago Grant gave promise of his intention to lead the Republican party into a new departure, and he would have done it, but a gang of old politicians at Washington held him back and forced him into public abandonment, and he went square back into the old nets. Grant is an honest man, and would do right if the politicians would let him; but they won't do it. He took the back track on the San Domingo question, in which, apart from the corrupt means used, he was clearly right. I tell you, sir, Americanism in England, and on the continent is the destiny of the American people. We shall have San Domingo, and Cuba, and Mexico, and all the rest; mark that. And the Democratic party will never be found in the front getting Cuba during the Spanish troubles. We could have had it then for the mere asking, and I feel sure we would have done so. The owners of the richest and most productive piece of territory in the world. Why, they used to have Americans there. Indeed, it has a political origin Virginia and North Carolina are in a somewhat similar condition. In Georgia the prospect of placer mines in the State in the hands of the very best element seems very hopeful.

Going on, he talked freely about the parties of the future, and his ideas of their composition. I ventured to suggest that Wade, Ben Butler and others with the hatred that is exhibited toward you by the dead-issue Democracy, I don't see how it is that you can stay with the party. He said he felt kindly personally and said: "Why, what can I do? The Republican party won't move forward. It wants to stick to the issues that are dead and buried, to get the Democracy to push to the front. However, there is no telling what three hundred and sixty-five days may bring forth. Any one thing I am certain: If the Democratic party fails to become the party of progress and advanced ideas, and I from conscientious convictions cannot go with the reactionary political party, that other political party will never stop to inquire what my past political record has been. Parties don't manage things that way."

Those who read may construe this expression as they please. I write it almost verbatim as he spoke it to me. The speaker's earnest manner convinced me that he meant all that he said. The same sentiment was subsequently expressed in various forms during our conversation, which lasted altogether for fully half an hour. But Mr. Vallandigham is dead. His political record is made. The wealth of his social virtues is treasured up in many hearts. None who knew him will cherish more pleasant recollections of him than I will; none will drop tears of more heartfelt sorrow over his grave.

FOREIGN.

Eighteen Thousand Insurgents Shot Since the Surrender of Paris—Favre Defends the Government of the 4th of September—The Bulletin at Rome.

PARIS, June 16.—Eighteen newspapers are represented in the self-constituted electoral committee of journalists. The programme of the committee is opposed by the Republican organs, because the newspapers which support the movement are considered favorable to monarchy.

The Grand Review.

PARIS, June 17.—The grand review of one hundred thousand troops at Long Champs has been postponed, in consequence of the rains.

The New Loan.

It is rumored on the Bourse that the new Government loan will be issued on the 25th inst.

Candidates.

It is said that M. M. Guizot Montpayoux and Clement Duvernais will be candidates for the Assembly from Paris, and Gen. Cissy will run for Department Cote D'Or.

Maryland Tobacco.

[By Special.]

PARIS, June 17.—The Government advertises for tenders for a million pounds of Maryland tobacco. Tenders must arrive before the 5th of July.

Incredible.

The whole number of insurgents shot since the capture of Paris is eighteen thousand;

Favre Defends Himself.

VERSAILLES, June 17.—In the Assembly today M. Favre defended the non-acceptance of peace on the occasion of his visit to the German headquarters, at Meaux. He said the reason of the failure of the negotiations at that time was that Bismarck demanded the cession of Strasburg, which the government was not disposed to concede. In conclusion, M. Favre urged the Assembly to extend its inquiry as to the conduct of the government who have held power since the fourth of September to imperialists, who decided that France should be led to her ruin.

LONDON, June 17.—Insurrectionary placards have been posted in Paris.

Another branch of the International Society has issued a manifesto disclaiming connection with those who have accepted the responsibility for the conflagrations in Paris, and affirming that they are engaged in a struggle against cowardice, a war against despotism and monopoly. They declare they are conquered, and that their candidates must be advanced to office. Republican Malon, Fridon, Lantigde, Tolaine, Rochel, and Dalert are suggested to the support of the members of the society as being Socialists and Democrats.

Gen. Fidherbe is a Republican candidate for the assembly in the Department of Somme.

Some of the Bonapartist candidates have proclaimed the watchword of "Free Trade."

Odillon Barrat is a candidate from the Department of Varaud, and Charles Abbotirecci stands in the Department of the Loire.

The reorganization of the army is proceeding with all possible speed.

The Telegraph has a dispatch from Versailles which states that the Bonapartist candidates are making vast efforts, and spending a great deal of money to effect their election to the Assembly. They really have no chance of success, for the Assembly is firmly determined upon upholding the status quo.

LONDON, June 17.—The demonstration in Brussels yesterday in honor of the Pope's jubilee, was a complete failure.

The Nova Scotia giantess, Miss Annie Swan, has been married to Mr. Bates Lorillard.

The American yacht Enchantress is at Southampton. Eighty of her crew have been arrested for mutiny, and one of them has been committed to prison on a charge of stabbing officers.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ATHENS, June 17.—The Turkish government refuses to receive Tricopt as Embassador of Greece, for the reason he was a foreign minister of this country during the Cretan insurrection. The Greek government has forwarded immediately his recall to Ragaube, its envoy to Washington.

STOCKHOLM, June 16.—The railway from Stockholm to Christiana was opened to-day. The trip between the two cities is now made in fifteen and a half hours.

King William's Toast.

BERLIN, June 17.—A grand court dinner was given at Potsdam to-day. Seven hundred guests were present. The King and thanking the people for their loyal co-operation. Germany and their monarchs and princes for their support given the army and himself during the war.

The Jubilee at Rome.

ROME, June 16.—The jubilee of Pope Pius IX was celebrated to-day. Receptions at the Vatican followed each other in constant succession from morning until night. Three thousand persons from all parts of the world, are in the city. Receptions of diplomatic bodies will be held on the 17th, 20 h and 21st instants.

The Longchamps Park Races.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 17.—At Narragansett Park, to-day, the first race for five hundred dollars, horses not over four years, mile heats, best three in five, was won by Ella Thayer, of Providence, in three straight heats; time, 2:28, 2:24½, 2:29¼.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, June 17—4:30 p. m.—Consols 92¾. Bonds, coupons '62s 93¾; old '65s 90¾; '67s 90¾; 10-40s 87¾.

FRANKFORT, June 17.—U. S. coupons of 1862 96¾.

PARIS, June 17.—Bourse, rentes 52 francs and 75 centimes.

LIVERPOOL, June 17.—Cotton, the market is firmer; middling uplands 8¾@8¾d; middling Orleans 8¾@8¾d; sales 20,000 bales, of which 2,000 bales were for speculation and export; the receipts to-day are 8,000 bales. Breadstuffs are unchanged. Pork 54s. Cheese 60s. Cumberland middles 34s 6d; short rib do. 37s 6d.

MEXICO.

The Rebellion at Tampico—Bad Faith of the Insurgents—The City Stormed and Taken at the Point of the Bayonet.

CITY OF MEXICO, June 7.—The insurgents at Tampico refuse to let families leave their homes, and, in consequence, there is great suffering in the city. The Council has requested the besiegers not to fire on the city, but the request was not granted. The President has ordered General Roche to do something to relieve the women and children and old men.

Vallalta will probably be elected Governor of Jalisco.

Congress has been called in extra session.

June 8th—Last night a truce of twenty-four hours was arranged between the rebels at Tampico and the forces commanding the besieging forces, to let families leave the city.

June 10th—Gen. Roche states that the Tampico rebels finally refused to let families leave the city, and improved the twenty-four hours of truce to reinforce the rebel fortifications. On the 11th—Tampico was stormed this morning at 4 o'clock, and taken at the point of the bayonet. All the insurgents were killed. Vallalta was not killed or captured. The Federal army is all right and well.

Yellow fever is raging at Vera Cruz.

CITY OF MEXICO, June 11—VIA HAVANA, June 17.—Congress has adjourned. It is reported that an extra session willbe called. Manuel Payno declines to be embassador to Washington.

An American journal to defend the interests of New York capitalists is to established at to the capital.

Great agitation exists all over the Republic in consequence of the coming election; the local authorities of each party commit outrages on each other, and riots and assassinations are plentiful.

The city council of the capital, installed a month ago by Congress, was dissolved on the 10th instant, by the administration. Much excitement prevails in consequence.

The press of the capital are severe in their strictures on the New York Herald and Times for their alleged hostility to Mexico, and call upon the people to prepare to repel an invasion by the Yankees.

The Minister appointed for San Francisco will remain in Mexico until after the election. An appointment of a Minister to Washington will also be made after the election.

The appointment as Minister of Foreign Affairs is well received.

A general revolution is imminent.

Horrible Murder on the Mississippi.

MEMPHIS, June 17.—News has been received here of a horrible murder which was committed at Australia landing last Tuesday night. Two men named Thomas and Hawes, from near Evansville, Indiana, had been down since last flood, with a trading boat, and were doing a thriving business trading with persons on the river. Thomas, who is represented as dissipated, went to Australia, and told that Hawes had left for Evansville, without leaving him a cent, and tried to sell the boat. Failing in this he left the keys of the boat with a gentleman, and left. The next day the boat was examined, and Hawes' body found, with his throat cut, from ear to ear. Hawes was supposed to have a large sum of money, and it is believed Thomas murdered him for it.

A Chicago Suicide.

CHICAGO, June 17.—Alfred Lee, Secretary and Treasurer of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, of this city, went to the Lacleede House last night and took a room, registering himself as Alfred Graham. At noon to-day the report of a pistol was heard from his apartment, and on investigation it was found that Lee had shot himself in the head, inflicting a fatal wound. In his pocket was found a letter addressed to his sister, Sarah Lee, at Auburndale, Miss., in which he states that his life has been a failure; that he has been a burden to his friends and relatives, and that he is determined to relieve them, with other matter to the same effect.

THE ST. LOUIS RACES.

Fifth Annual Meeting of the Southern and Western Turf Congress.

ST. LOUIS, June 17.—The fifth annual meeting of the Southern and Western Turf Congress opened at the Abby track to-day under the most favorable auspices. The weather was fine and the attendance unusually large, embracing many prominent citizens.

The first race was for a purse of two year olds for $350; the starters were unnamed. Sorrel filly, by Bonnie Scotland, owned by Geo. Hammond, of Lafayette, Ky.; Bay colt, by Vaulabora, by Voucher, owned by Chas. L. Hunt, of St. Louis. The race was won by Scotland Filly. Time, 1:57¾.

The second race was a great post stake of the Turf Congress, for $3,500, and for which each association of the congress names a horse. The following were the starters: Leinster, for the Louis; Helmet, for the Louisville, Ky.; Barney Williams, for Mobile; Virgil, for New Orleans, and Mollie Jones, for Nashville. The horses got away in a bunch, with Mollie Jones slightly in the lead, which she maintained throughout the heat, coming in a party of two lengths ahead. Barney Williams, 2d; Leinster, 4th; Helmet, 5th. Time, 8:04¾.

Barney Williams was under very strong pull throughout the entire heat, notwithstanding which the victory of Mollie Jones made her a great favorite in the pools, selling four to ten times higher than Barney.

In the second heat Barney took the lead from the start, and forced the running throughout. At the quarter pole he opened a gap fully one hundred yards, and this he kept on increasing to the heat progressed. During the third mile it was evident he was running to distance the field, which he easily accomplished, passing under the string, the red flag falling in the face of all his pursuers, winning the heat and race. Time, 8:02¾. This was a totally unexpected result, and the backers of Mollie Jones fell heavily. Lein

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Notice to Candidates.

All communications recommending candidates for office will be charged for. Matter of this description is of a purely private and business character, relating to the interests of individuals and not coming under the head of news. There is scarcely a mail that does not bring us a quantity sufficient to fill the whole issue of this Courier-Journal, and communications being of such commercial and invidious, we are compelled to put the matter upon a strictly commercial footing.

RELIGIOUS.

Seven new churches were built in the State of Delaware during the last conference year.

The city of Jerusalem contains 18,000 inhabitants, of whom 9,000 are Jews, 5,000 Mohammedans, and 4,000 Christians.

There are forty county-seats in the State of Ohio where Baptists are unknown by any church organization or regular preaching.

It is reported that Brigham Young intends to organize Mormonism in the Sandwich Islands. The system retreats before the march of Gentile civilization.

The obituary record of the Presbyterian church during the past seventy of the ministers died during the past year, ranging in age from twenty-one to eighty-eight years.

The Presbyterian Presbytery of Pennsylvania recently reaffirmed its objections to the validity of Disciples' baptism, characterizing it as grievous error and an abuse of Christ's ordinance.

Rev. L. M. Vernon, D. D., of the Methodist Church in St. Louis, who has been appointed Consul to Italy, expects to sail for his field of labor about the middle of the present month.

Seven hundred heads of families, representing seventeen thousand Roman Catholics in one province of Germany, have signed an address animating Dr. Doellinger in his opposition to the Pope in his assumption of infallibility.

Two clergymen, who started a Christian paper in Chicago, after four weeks' experiment, returned with the following valedictory: "Chicago is a good place for a religious paper, provided that three pages serve Satan and the other one is mixed."

The suit brought by Rev. Daniel Gibbs, of Gilead, Connecticut, for the recovery of his salary, has been finally decided against him. The principle involved in the decision is, that congregational bodies have authority to dismiss a pastor on grounds of expediency.

A movement is in progress to consolidate the Free Methodists and the Congregationalists in England and Wales. If accomplished it will carry into the Congregational Church three hundred ministers, three thousand and four hundred local preachers, and sixty-eight thousand members.

A well-informed English correspondent says that many Independent and Baptist ministers in the United Kingdom have ceased to preach, and to believe in the eternal misery of the lost; and have adopted chiefly the annihilation theory, though in some instances the doctrine of universal restoration.

The News will soon organize a Universal Irrigation Alliance, for the purpose of drawing more closely the ties that bind them to their brethren, scattered throughout the world. To that end, in this great movement, it is deemed necessary to unite more closely in the bonds of fellowship the Jews of the country.

The Italian Parliament has voted to the Pope an annual salary of 3,000,000, and secured by guaranteed to him the use of all the apostolic palaces and their dependencies, free of charge. He is made independent of the civil authority in the exercise of his pontifical functions, may go where he pleases, and is nowhere subject to the police power of the State.

It is stated that in one of the country churches in England, where the rector has been preaching for thirteen years, he has repeated the same sermon forty-eight times, and is far advanced in the forty-ninth cycle. The sermons, it is believed, were written between the thirty-fifth and fortieth years of George III., or about seventy-five or eighty years ago.

Rev. T. A. Morris, senior bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church, published a letter favoring the election, at the next General Conference, of resident missionary bishops for India, China, Western Europe and South America, besides providing for ten effective bishops for the home work. He speaks decidedly against the life tenure of the episcopal office by making it subject to quadrennial elections.

The Disciples of Ohio had a Missionary Convention at Dayton, Ohio, attended by delegates from Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, New York, Kentucky and Massachusetts. The Baptists of Ohio were also represented by delegates, bearing fraternal greetings looking to ultimate union. The Baptist tenets are said to be so near those of the Disciples that a single sentence would dispel some of the differences forever.

Rev. Dr. Clark, who recently joined the Methodist Episcopal Church in New England, has been settled two years as a Universalist preacher in Providence, Rhode Island, and four years in Lowell, Massachusetts. He also lectured ten years among the Spiritualists, published a Spiritualist paper for five years in Auburn, New York, and superintended the first camp-meeting in Malden, Massachusetts, in the interest of Spiritualism. He says: "By the grace of God, through Jesus Christ, I am now devoted to a glorious work in a better direction."

An Example for Rich Men.

Mr. Peter Cooper, of New York, celebrated his eighteenth birth day by giving an additional gift of $150,000 to the Cooper Institute, an institution founded by him twelve years ago, with the object, as he himself states it, of providing "an institution to which all young people of the working classes, who desire to be good citizens and to rise in life, could resort, without money and without price, in order to acquire that knowledge of their business and science which in these days is absolutely indispensable to a successful career." The success of this noble institution has been most gratifying and remarkable, and if there are any rich men in this city, or elsewhere, who are seeking an efficient mode for rendering a worthy and lasting public service, the best we can do is to point them to the example of Mr. Peter Cooper, and to urge that it be faithfully imitated.

It is the great merit of Mr. Cooper's project that its benefits are bestowed upon the young. It is then an educational, not a charitable, institution. It is an extension of the common school principle to those who, having already entered upon the business of their lives, are still in need of instruction in science and art, and who, if they are to be kept from the haunts of vice and dissipation, require that there shall be provided for them public teachers and reading rooms and libraries, to which they may resort when the day's work is done, or when they are without employment. To help the poor in this way is so to prepare them to take care of themselves that they may grow up something other than paupers and criminals; to make them, in short, helpers instead of burdens to society. When it is remembered how much of the evil and suffering which there is in the world is directly due to ignorance, we can begin to comprehend how great a social blessing is only one such institution as the famous Cooper Institute of New York. Would that such an instrumentality could be established in this city!

To show how this noble institution is appreciated by those who have enjoyed its benefits, let us quote a few passages from the address of the graduates to its honored founder and President. It says: "Keenly appreciating the great importance of practical scientific knowledge to the industrial classes, you determined to place such advantages within their reach through a project conceived in youth, cherished through thirty manhood and consummated in the mellowness of age. At that period in life when men enter reluctantly upon untried schemes, and when they cling most tenaciously to their possessions, you generously consecrated the bulk of the fortune you had been patiently accumulating for half a century to found the Cooper Union for the advancement of science and art—an institution that in the present and in all after time shall stand as a working man's legacy to his countrymen, at once royal in magnitude and beneficent in design. The grand and solid success which has attended it in the past will be vastly strengthened and extended in the future by the crowning act of your life—your noble birth-day offering of $150,000 to establish, in connection with the institution, a valuable reference and lending library." * * * * "The mission of the Cooper Union comprehends more than this. It has lessons for the rich as well as for those in the humbler ranks of life. Rising here in the midst of the metropolis of a continent, it is an everlasting protest against the avarice and ambition which rear overshadowing fortunes for mere personal gratification. It teaches such how they may become the masters and not the slaves of their wealth; how they may render it an imperishable memorial of their love and a perpetual source of public good, so that when they shall be seen no more forever in the walks of men they shall live on through their benefactions in the unbalming love and gratitude of mankind."

Now these are words which every rich man should ponder well. The struggle between capital and labor, which is everywhere becoming so desperate, should prompt the rich to ask themselves the question whether they have done and are doing their full duty to the laboring masses. Certain it is the poor man is profoundly dissatisfied with his lot, and the conviction is deeply rooted in his mind that the leading cause of his troubles is the [illegible] of wealth. The people of Philadelphia, with wiser Christianity, have opened their library daily, and report the most satisfactory results. Our sympathies are all on the side of virtue, and we hope all those who labor under such mistaken views of Christian duty may suffer signal defeat.

The Indians.

When the true story of the manner in which the Indians have been treated by the United States Government and its agents shall have been written, it will form one of the most disgraceful chapters in modern history. In Arizona, from which we have stories of Indian troubles again, there are several tribes of Apaches, some of which are hostile, but the most of which are peaceable, and to one of these last belonged the women and children who were recently massacred on the Camp Grant reservation. The officers of the army who are now stationed there declare that these Indians had for some time past conducted themselves in an unexceptionable manner, and that their slaughter was without the slightest provocation. We hear a great deal of Indian outrages, and the following extract from the correspondence of the Buffalo Courier will show how they are manufactured, and for what purpose:

> Three coyotes, members of a tribe that has murdered many scouts and guides for our troops, were sent as an express from Camp Grant to Camp Lowell, on Tuesday, and, after delivering their message, started back, having in charge the Government mail. On their way they stopped over night at the house of a Mexican named JUAN MAIS, 17 miles from the post, and giving him their rations by way of payment for the evening, after they had left, this MEXICAN, in company with a couple of his countrymen and party without being seen, and fired from an ambush, killing one of the Indians at the first fire. Of the remaining two the squaw got out of view in four or fourteen years, made his escape, while the other grappled with and killed him with his own knife. Meantime the other Mexican had returned, and he shot the Indian through the head. The murderers then went to Camp Lowell, reported that he had been attacked by the Indians while peacefully traveling on the road, and the commanding officer at Camp Lowell, knowing the character of all the parties, took parties to investigate, and brought in the bodies of the Indians. The truth is, that ARIZONA is infested with a miserable set of people, who rely for support upon the profits of the Government contracts, and their influence is sufficient with the officers in their power to create difficulty with the Indians in order that more troops may be sent, and their opportunities for plunder increased.

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THE DREAM OF LIBERTY.

What a New York Journalist in Paris Says of the Communists.

"A LOGIC BEFORE IT ALL."

[John Russell Young's Paris Letter in New York Standard.]

I have spoken of the scandal of the Commune result, of the great wrong of taking [illegible] and [illegible] I do not consider me as writing in the cold shriek of denunciation which seems to prevail over Europe. There is cause for all these crimes somewhere—and it cannot be reached by grape-shot. "You will understand it better," said a grave and wise friend who knows Paris, when you remember that two years ago there were [illegible] thousand people here whose wages for eight months in the year average a franc and a half a day. For the other four months—nothing. When Viewing Paris expect the love. I have no doubt there were many conservative European philosophers who looked on the [illegible] and like [illegible] upon what the house of a Mexican named JUAN MAIS, 17 miles from the post, and giving him their rations by way of payment for the evening, after they had left, this MEXICAN, in company with a couple of his countrymen and party without being seen, and fired from an ambush, killing one of the Indians at the first fire. Of the remaining two the squaw got out of view in four or fourteen years, made his escape, while the other grappled with and killed him with his own knife. Meantime the other Mexican had returned, and he shot the Indian through the head. The murderers then went to Camp Lowell, reported that he had been attacked by the Indians while peacefully traveling on the road, and the commanding officer at Camp Lowell, knowing the character of all the parties, took parties to investigate, and brought in the bodies of the Indians. The truth is, that ARIZONA is infested with a miserable set of people, who rely for support upon the profits of the Government contracts, and their influence is sufficient with the officers in their power to create difficulty with the Indians in order that more troops may be sent, and their opportunities for plunder increased.

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other American who stood near me on the balcony, when he said with choking voice, "I am trembling with rage! the poniards! I could kill every one of them!" I say I could not but appreciate the emotions which found this strong expression, although myself and above all some old daughter, is there really nothing better for a nation as great as France than to cover some spot in ashes and devastation, and when and how will France be built a monument to commemorate the misery and woe? For what is it, after all—these Vendome Columns and this arrow of Napoleonism that has covered France with a lurid splendor for seventy years—but the apotheosis of [illegible] of war? This Arch of Triumph, colossal! The age who made it were creatures in their work. As it looked down with Caesar at the top, it was in itself a victory of taste and industry. And, although no human being ever read the legends which [illegible] filled it in, I should dream, we know that they told of great wars, and that this was the bronze of twelve hundred cannon taken in the German campaign, and that it meant the unspeakable glory of the great Emperor. And I say, again is Napoleon and beautiful is the colossal, and this bronze Tracery has a deep meaning for those who read history. But who thought that to-day a people have been brave enough to spot out a monument to murder; to say that they is a higher mission for nations of valiant people than republicanism; that the time has come for people to do what statesmen has failed to do as yet, namely, to make peace and tolerance and living in the world which God sent them to occupy, without, of necessity, cutting their neighbor's throat; the thought that this poor Communist, with all its recorded miseries, has been wise enough to see this, and brave enough to bear witness to it, will live for ages as its best contribution to humanity and brotherhood. The failing of this column will be heard throughout the world. But yesterday, and I suppose to-day, the [illegible] meeting for a new war with Germany. Frenchmen were called upon to take their children to the altar and there swear the oath of Hannibal. To-day Frenchmen wrench from the base the great monument of French triumph over Germany, and say, "So far as we are concerned there shall be no more wars. We mean peace, nationality, the brotherhood of nations, the rights of labor against arbitrary, of the people against the King!" It may be a dream, but, oh! friends, is it not something to really dream these things; to strive to do them; to study to the word that we mean what we say?

So I close my story of this week of civil war and destruction, and trust it may be the end of the saddest and most terrible page in French history. Paris is [illegible] in ashes, its capital torn by [illegible] down. The strife, venerable priests massacred in prison, massacred in cold blood by Frenchmen. Oh, it is painful, pitiful beyond all conception—as sad a sight as was ever seen upon this woful earth! Out of it all I believe France will rise again, strengthened, purified, chastened—to be in the future, that she has been for so many years, the champion of liberty and humanity and progress. And whatever the passionate impulse of the hour may be—we may mourn the crimes and follies of the day—I am confident the time will come when Frenchmen will look back with pride and emotion at the events of Paris who fought France for four months after Prussia had laid France at its feet, and who for two months longer held at bay the combined armies of Bonapartism, legitimacy and reaction—breaking a dream of liberty, equality and fraternity, and giving their lives in a desperate endeavor to make it true.

CADET SMIFF.

How He Took the News of His Sentence.

[Herald West Point Letter.]

And so Tom Smith, the s andard-bearer of his race at West Point, as General Ames, I believe, once called him, has got to go, at least for a time. I happened to meet him near the guard-house this morning, as an early hour, and asked him if he intended to take his chances and come back to the Academy again.

"Come back! My class doesn't go on furlough this year," he replied, looking rather amazed that I should have asked such a question.

"I refer to you alone," I said.

Smith looked still more puzzled, and finally exclaimed, "I am not going away, sir."

"You have not heard the news, then?"

"About what?"

"The court-martial has decided your case."

"What! I hope to be graduated with it," and Smith's face flushed—for it can flush, mind you, as visibly as a full white man's—if from sudden excitement. "What is the decision?"

I handed him a copy of the order of General Belknap.

Smith glanced hurriedly over it, and then quietly handed me back the paper. The flush had left his face, and the two peculiar dark spots on his cheeks stood out more prominently than ever. He is a fine and handsome and a deathly sallor. I really pitied the poor fellow from the bottom of my heart as he turned to me and said:

"Well, sir, I am very sorry that such a decision as that has been arrived at."

"What do you mean by that?"

"I may appeal to a higher court."

"You cannot, sir. The decision of the sentence you will have to stay away a year from the Academy!"

"So I am, sir."

"Do you intend to West Point?"

"I will come back again, sir," he replied, determinedly; "I do not mean to give up so long as I can see a chance to graduate."

"Where will you go when the order suspending you comes along?"

"I will go home, in South Carolina."

"And what will you do meanwhile?"

"Study, and be all the more prepared to get on when I get back."

"You may change your mind about coming back, Smith?"

"No fear of that. If health and nothing ill happens I will return."

"Suppose you should on re-entering a year from now have to go through the same trials you have gone?"

"That would not make any difference; I am determined about that. I am very sorry that I have to leave, but I hope for the best. It may be for the best, who knows?" And with this the colored boy touched his hat politely and went to his quarters.

I acted a very different part about the joy with which the cadets received the announcement that Smith had to go. The detestation of the poor fellow in the corps is something really incomprehensible. But what will it amount to? Smith will go, but Lord Napier, still more of the negro than he, remains. What's the odds?

☞ At a fire in Findlay, O., last week, in one of the buildings, three kegs of powder were stored. When the fact became known, the crowd became terror-struck, and young man named Harry Erb, seeing that unless the powder was removed from the burning structure, a terrible loss of life and property would result, sprang forward, and, crying, "Stand back; there is powder in here, and I am going to fetch it out," rushed into the burning building. For a moment he was lost from sight, but shortly reappeared, bearing in his arms two kegs of powder, which were soon in a place of safety; but the third still remained. Erb, again telling the crowd to stand back, pushed his way into the flaming mass. Before he reached the object of his search the keg had caught fire; yet, without pausing to notice his terrible danger, he picked up the powder and carried it from the building.

CITY ITEMS.

Newman's

castor oil and glycerine hair tonic is an admirable dressing for the hair; prevents it from falling out, and renders its growth healthy and vigorous. Fifth and Walnut.

☞ There is but one trunk that will stand railroad travel, and that is the celebrated Russia Zinc Trunk, manufactured and sold wholesale and retail at D. O'Hare's, 142 Main street, between Fourth and Fifth.

☞ The A No. XX sole leather valise, copperriveted edge and improved steel springs, at D. O'Hare's trunk house, on Main street, between Fourth and Fifth.

Photographs.

For the best and cheapest, go to J. Henry Doyle's gallery, Market, between Ninth and Tenth.

☞ If you want the best and cheapest article, go to the largest dealer, at D. O'Hare's headquarters, 142 Main street. The immense sale of trunks of his own manufacture enables him to undersell all competitors.

☞ You can buy a Saratoga trunk for $4 50 at D. O'Hare's, on Main street, between Fourth and Fifth.

Winterssmith's Iodized Sarsaparilla and Stillingia, the Great Blood Purifier,

Contains three grains Iodide Potash to the dose. A certain cure for all diseases arising from an impure state of the blood. It is not a secret nostrum, but is prescribed and recommended by all intelligent physicians.

Price, $1 00 per bottle; six for $5 00.

Stillingia, or Queen's Root—Commonly Called Queen's Delight—Extract from U. S. Dispensatory—"It is an indigenous perennial plant; grows in the pine barrens from Virginia to Florida, flowering in May and June. From the reports in its favor there is no reason to doubt the efficacy of this medicine in scrofula, secondary syphilis, cutaneous diseases, chronic hepatic affections, and other complaints ordinarily benefited by alterative medicines. Stillingia is advantageously combined with sarsaparilla and other alteratives." At this season of the year the system naturally undergoes a change, and a good blood purifier will be found an assistant of the greatest value. Winterssmith's Iodized Sarsaparilla and Stillingia is unequaled as an alterative and blood purifier. It has all the virtues of the best Honduras Sarsaparilla and of Stillingia, with three grains of Iodide of Potash to the dose. Every bottle contains fifty-six doses, making it not only the best but the cheapest alterative in the market. It is prescribed and recommended by our leading physicians.

Read Testimony—Read the certificate of R. A. Gresham, of the Louisville Transfer Company:

"I have taken nearly all of the alterative medicines in the market. I have found nothing to do me half so much good as Winterssmith's Iodized Sarsaparilla and Stillingia. R. A. Gresham, Louisville Transfer Company."

☞ One dollar and fifty cents will buy a trunk at D. O'Hare's Great Western Trunk Manufactory, on Main street, between Fourth and Fifth.

☞ XX sole leather trunks, with improved steel springs, at D. O'Hare's Trunk Manufactory, on Main street, between Fourth and Fifth.

☞ You can buy a shoe valise at D. O'Hare's for $1 00. Beat it if you can.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Southern Merchants,

look to your interests and put your goods in trunks and cases the best on pantic-ar-terra. The boxes you will remember, are a dead loss, while you can sell the trunks to a profit. You are invited to call and examine the stock. To those visiting the city we will say, a visit to our factory will be made from the lowest trade wholesale price. Remember the place. D. O'HARE'S, 142 Main street, between Fourth and Fifth, Louisville, Ky.

Good Sense.

Mrs. A.—"My dear Mrs. B., what sewing machine do you use?"

Mrs. B.—"I use the American Button-Hole Machine."

Mrs. A.—"Do you think it a good family machine?"

Mrs. B.—"I do, and wouldn't be without one at any price."

Mrs. A.—"Where is the office? I will go and look at them."

Mrs. B.—"It is No. 90 Jefferson street, between Third and Fourth."

Mrs. A. called and bought a machine at $100.

Remember

that, in purchasing your trunks from D. O'Hare's trunk manufactory, you get the article at first hands, and do not have to pay two or three profits. It must not be supposed that his stock of hundred trunks; it embraces everything that a traveler may need in the shape of satchels, valises, traveling bags, bonnet boxes, &c., &c. Remember the place—D. O'Hare's, 142 Main street, between Fourth and Fifth.

GAS STOVES—GAS STOVES,

all sizes, for cooking purposes. Gas tubing and bracket heaters, at PYKE & CREIGHTON'S, 146 Market street, between Fourth and Fifth. jn16 d3

How to Protect Your Trunk from Breaking.

One of the greatest necessities of this age of constant travel is a trunk which will not break, and which will not cut its way through anything which it comes down upon. This is fully accomplished by the India-rubber trunk shield, which must be seen to be appreciated. Manufactured and sold wholesale and retail by D. O'Hare, 142 Main street, between Fourth and Fifth.

The American Button-Hole, Overseaming and Sewing Machine Company,

No. 90 Jefferson street, between Third and Fourth.

Trunks of Any Size or Quality,

old or new, can be fitted with the newly invented India-rubber Trunk Shield, on short notice, at D. O'Hare's great trunk emporium, No. 142 south side Main street, between Fourth and Fifth. The railroad men say they are the greatest invention of the day, and that nothing short of a general smash-up of a train can injure them in the slightest degree.

☞ Water coolers and filters, ice-cream freezers, lemon squeezers, glass tubes, roach traps, pea owl fly brushes, oiled walnut book shelves, wall pockets, match boxes, wall brackets, etc. A complete assortment of kitchen, glass and crockeryware, table cutlery, silver plated ware and house furnishing goods. Goods for wooden weddings, goods for tin weddings, goods for crystal weddings, goods for any weddings, at the lowest prices and in great variety. MAGILL BROTHERS, No. 161 Fourth, bet. Green and Walnut streets.

Baggage-Smashers in Despair.

The India-rubber trunk shield, now being attached to trunks by D. O'Hare, at his trunk manufactory, No. 142 Main street, between Fourth and Fifth. Is one of the greatest securities that has been invented for travelers. A trunk encased in them may bid defiance to anything short of a first-class earthquake.

Ladies, Read This.

The American Button-Hole, Overseaming and Sewing Machine is the best manufactured, because it does ALL WORK. No. 90 Jefferson street, between Third and Fourth.

Don't Waste Your Time in Wandering Around

among second and third-class dealers, but if you want a trunk or anything in that line go to headquarters, at D. O'Hare's Trunk Manufactory, on Main street, between Fourth and Fifth, where you can select from a stock of 5,000, and only pay the lowest wholesale price for a single trunk.

Refrigerators.

The Improved Ladies' Friend Refrigerator is without doubt the best article in the market. We claim beyond dispute that it keeps articles cooler with less ice, and is better and handier than any other in the city. Don't buy before looking at them. Also ice-chests of all kinds very low. PYKE & CREIGHTON'S, 146 Market street, bet. Fourth and Fifth. jn16 d3

Something New.

The newest and best thing now on the market is the Russia zinc traveling trunk, manufactured and sold by D. O'Hare. Neither water, lightning, nor hotel porters can affect them. They are made in all sizes, and the best salesmen in the city, and will take pleasure in showing any one the goods, whether wishing to act in the formation of a first-class amateur club are invited to attend.

PERSONAL.

Personal.

Mr. W. D. Pickett, of Hopkinsville, will forward his address to Jas. S. Williams, New York Hotel, New York. jn17 d6

Dear * * * !

Come back. Everything forgiven and forgotten. Mr. Miller with the little dog. jn16 d3*

FIRM CHANGES.

Partnership.

Mr. Wm. Ruby has this day taken in Wm. J. Nold as a partner, who has been in the employ for six years. They will carry on the manufacture of Carpetsacks at the old stand, No. 249 Main street. Wm. Ruby, corner of Sixth and Green.

WM. RUBY,
WM. J. NOLD.

Wm. Ruby is alone authorized to settle the debts of the old firm. WM. RUBY & NOLD.

Dissolution.

The firm of Goldeman & Calvert is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the late firm will be paid at 144 Fourth street.

GOLDEMAN & CALVERT.

June 14th, 1871.

The agency of the Weed Sewing Machine will be continued by W. H. GOLDEMAN, jn16 d3 7 Masonic Temple.

Dissolution.

The partnership of Pitkin, Ward & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. H. W. Pitkin alone is authorized to settle the affairs of the firm in settlement of the business of the house.

H. W. PITKIN,
WM. L. F. WIARD,
D. T. McGILL.

Louisville, June 9, 1871.

Wiard, McGee & Co. are the successors of the old firm. jn16 d6

Dissolution.

The firm of Dodge, Rhorer & Co. was dissolved June 30, 1871, by limitation. The business will be conducted in the future by Geo. Dodge and M. M. Rhorer, under the style of Dodge, Rhorer & Co., and they alone are authorized to settle the business of the old firm. J. GEO. DODGE,
M. M. RHORER,
T. F. BARCLAY,
A. PEABODY.

Copartnership.

Louisville, June 3, 1871.

We have this day associated ourselves together for the manufacture and sale of plows and stock bolts under the style of Dodge, Rhorer & Co.

J. GEO. DODGE,
M. M. RHORER,

jn6 deodtf

REMOVAL.

Notice.

The undersigned have this day removed to No. 167, northeast corner Fifth and Main streets, formerly occupied by Joplin & Reynolds, where they will continue to manufacture, as heretofore, Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes, also Men's Calf Boots. Have also a good assortment of Eastern goods, which we will close out at low prices.

C. R. RADDIN & CO.
No. 167, N. E. corner Fifth and Main.

NEW GOODS AT THE CHEAP LACE STORE.

Whalebone Corsets, 25c.
Whalebone Corsets, Shoons, $1 50.
Black Lace Shawls only $5.
Embroidered Skirts only $1.
Extra size Kid Gloves only $1.
Black Lace Flounces at half price.

Just received at

CHAS. F. RAUCHFUSS',

jn7 1034 FOURTH ST.

Suits! Suits! and Cloaks!

ALSO

Lot of Choice Goods, including Grenadines, for making up Suits.

Best make of Linen Lace Points and Sacques;

Best Thread Lace Points and Thread Lace at very low prices.

Black Silks of excellent quality and very cheap.

☞ Suits made to order on shortest notice.

MRS. ELIZA SPIEGELBERGE,

apl 8d&Wehn 100 FOURTH ST.

FORTUNE TELLER.

All persons who are desirous to know what is to be a fore them should not fail to call on

MADAM ELIZABETH VEIT

At New Albany, Ind., Corner Pearl and Main streets. She can tell them correctly the time they will marry, and the name and disposition of the person they are to marry. She can tell if anything has been lost or stolen, the locality. Calls or letters promptly answered. Fee $1 00. Office hours from 9 o'clock A. M. to 9 o'clock P. M. Persons coming from a distance can be accommodated with board. Remember the number, Corner Pearl and Main streets, New Albany, Ind. jn7 d6

SUITS.

THE LARGEST STOCK OF

Silk Suits,
POPLIN SUITS,
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WHITE SUITS,
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IN NEW AND ELEGANT STYLES AT

MORRIS LEVI'S

Cloak and Suit Store, No. 109 Fourth st., sold the world!

SPECIAL NOTICES.

R. B. MILES'

SADDLERY, HARNESS, TRUNK AND TRAVELING-BAG EMPORIUM,

Sign Golden Horse Head. No. 33 Main, bet. Second and Third Sts.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Examination of Teachers.

An examination of applicants for situations as teachers in the Public Schools of this city will be held in the rooms of the Board of Trustees, on the corner of Walnut and Center streets, on Monday, the 26th inst., at 8 o'clock a. m., and continuing four days. Circulars giving information concerning the examination can be obtained by addressing or applying to

GEO. H. TINGLEY, Jr.,
Sup't Public Schools.

Office corner Walnut and Center streets. Office hours 4 o'clock p. m. jn15 3ud

The Male and the Female High Schools.

An examination of applicants for admission into these schools will take place in their respective buildings, commencing on Monday, the 19th inst., at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing four days. Applications may be obtained at my office.

GEO. H. TINGLEY, Jr.,
Superintendent Public Schools.

Office corner Walnut and Center sts. Office hours 4 o'clock p. m. jn11 3ud

Catawba and Santorne Wines.

40 CASES Kelly Island Catawba, 1869; 25 cases Santorne Muscat, 1869; in store and for sale by J. M. DAVIS & CO., jn16 d3 No. 249 Second st.

Rum.

5 BBLS Lawrence & Son's New England Rum, high proof, 1 year old, for sale by J. M. DAVIS & CO., jn16 d3 No. 249 Second st.

Apple Brandy.

15 BBLS 1-year-old Apple Brandy in store and for sale by J. M. DAVIS & CO., jn16 d3 No. 249 Second st.

Tobacco Manufacturers' Supplies.

150 CADDIES and half cases standard brands core Spanish stem Licorice;
50 kegs and 25 boxes Cavendish;
5 cases pure Olive Oil;
5 cases pure German Glycerine;
15 packages Spices, Quills, &c., for Savoring.

For sale by
E. G. WHITTAKER & CO.,
jn15 d3 223 Third street.

Notice to the Residents and Householders on Fifth and Second streets.

Notice is hereby given to all lot-owners and householders on Second street from Walnut to Broadway, and on Fifth street from Main street to Broadway, that, after 1st day of July, 1871, no permits will be granted to break the street surface for the purpose of making sewer, gas, or water connections.

Owners of property wishing to make connections with the sewer in either of the above streets will get estimates by calling on JOHN, C. F. CITY Engineer's office, June 13, 1871. jn13 d4d

RELIGIOUS.

New Jerusalem Church.

The Rev. E. A. Beaman will preach this day in the Chapel on Chestnut street, between Second and Third. At 10½ o'clock, and at 8 P. M. Seats free.

Broadway Baptist Church.

Rev. J. B. Hawthorn, pastor, will preach this morning at 10½ o'clock and at 8 o'clock p. m. Seats free.

MEETINGS.

Knights of Pythias.

The members of Pioneer Lodge, No. 8, Knights of Pythias, are requested to be at their hall, corner Eleventh and Green, on Wednesday, the 28th inst., at 8½ o'clock a. m., for the purpose of conferring the third rank. A full attendance is desired, as business of importance will be transacted.

LEE S. JOHNSON, R. S.

Masonic Notice.

Eureka R. A. Chapter (No. 181) will meet this evening, the 19th, at 8 o'clock, for work in P. M. By order

JOHN D. ORRILL, H. P.

E. O. Brown, Secy.

Masonic Notice.

Regular meeting of Mt. Moriah Lodge, No. 466, A. M., at their hall, in Masonic Temple, this evening, at 7½ o'clock.

By order of
R. E. MILES, W. M.
Geo. W. Ehrest, Sec'y.

Notice.

A Ball Club will be held at No. 101 Green street, on Monday, the 19th inst., at 8 P. M. All persons wishing to act in the formation of a first-class amateur club are invited to attend.

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Courier-Journal.

SUNDAY MORNING, JUNE 18, 1871.

FOREIGNERS.

THE wine crop in Portugal promises to be most abundant.

THERE are forty female students at the University of Zurich, and there are two hundred female medical students in London.

THE appearance of Mr. Darwin's book on "The Descent of Man" has been followed, the London papers say, by a great increase in the number of visits to the monkey-house in the Zoological Gardens, Regent's Park.

IT HAS been sometimes proposed in a spirit of playful satire to tax bachelors for the support of the State, but the Government of India has just put in operation in that country a law taxing married men as a means of filling its empty coffers.

THE lady student who carried off the chemical prize at the University of Edinburg was the highest of 240 candidates. Having been declared ineligible to receive the prize on account of her sex, Mr Titus Salt sent her £100, but she declined to accept it.

PRESTO ought to be in a very sorry plight. Trade is at a standstill, and famine and cholera are doing their frightful work. It is said that the distress among the Gypsy tribes is so intense that they are selling their daughters, who are famed for beauty, at prices ranging from five dollars.

A CHILD has been born of human parents at Palermo, Italy, which furnishes an instance of the transition between the monkey and man, long sought for by those miscreations as to the Darwinian theory. The infant is thickly covered with hair from head to foot; her head is like a monkey's, and the resemblance is further carried out enough to satisfy the most exacting.

A TELEGRAPH line about fifteen miles long having been constructed near Shanghai, the natives supposed that the messages were captured along the wires by devils in the employ of foreign barbarians. To this they made no objection, until a Chinaman chanced to stand evidently in a house near which stood one of the telegraph poles. It then occurred to another Celestial that he (an amateur Confucius) might be the devils had come down from the wire and killed the unfortunate man, whereupon he and his companions proceeded to destroy the dangerous apparatus.

THE splendid Albert Hall, at South Kensington, London, has proved an acoustic failure, and much discussion is going on as to the best means of curing some of the most reprehensible defects. Among other things, a thin white cotton net of light wood over the whole interior surface has been suggested, as likely to avoid the deadening and choking effects of drapery on the one hand, and on the other the too clear and complete reflection of musical sound, resulting from the bare, polished and dense plaster surface in the walls of such buildings. Other critics grumble fiercely at the aristocratic situation of the building, near the court quarter, but distant from the main body of the population, as also at the absurdity of performing chamber music in a hall which seats eight thousand people.

THE German Government has constant application for pieces of the captured French guns, out of which to cast church bells. So numerous are these requests that the Emperor has given orders that the metal shall be furnished only to such communities as are too poor to purchase a bell for their churches, and to buildings of national importance, such as cathedrals. A captured mitrailleuse has been shipped from Berlin to the Germans of San Francisco, in answer to their special request, in return for the large sum of money which they transmitted to Germany for the benefit of the German wounded, widows and orphans. Two French guns were also given to M. Von Roon, the Prussian Minister of War, by the Emperor, as a mark of the latter's regard and appreciation of his services.

RECENTLY, in the German Parliament, Herr-Bebel, the well-known democrat, said: "The aim of the Paris Commune is neither an impossible nor a pernicious one, as it has been erroneously called. On the contrary, in all Europe those classes not dead to all feeling of liberty and independence look upon Paris as their bit fi of hope. Never, whether the insurrection is suppressed; what is doing now at the French capital is only an outpost skirmish, which will be followed up some day by a great European battle. War to the palace, peace to the cottages, and death to luxurious idleness, and ever will be the watchword of the proletarian in all parts of the world." The speech was received with derisive laughter, and Prince Bismarck passed it by a contemptuous remark that it needed no reply."

NEW BOOKS.

Messrs. Pott & Amery announce: "The Purchas Judgment," a letter of acknowledgment to the Rt. Hon Sir J. T. Coleridge, by H. P. Liddon, D. D., with a letter to the writer by the Rev. Dr. Pusey.

A work of useful and enduring character is just issued by the New World Publishing Company, entitled "The Physical Training of Children," by P. H. Chavasse, Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons, London. It is edited by F. H. Getchell, M. D., Clinical Lecturer on Diseases of Women and Children at the Jefferson Medical College.

Messrs. J. B. Lippincott & Co. have in press The Memoirs of John Quincy Adams, comprising his diary from 1795 to 1848, and edited by the Hon. Charles Francis Adams. They announce several volumes of fiction: Rookstone, by Miss Macquoid; the Quiet Miss Godolphin, by Ruth Garrett, and a Charce Child, by Edward Garrett; a book of poems, by Emily M. Kiehl, and two medical works—Diseases of the Ear, by Lawrence Turnbull, M. D., and a new edition of Beck's Medical Jurisprudence.

Messrs. Appleton & Co. announce a New Hand Book of Western Travel: Recent Discoveries by Livingstone and Baker, and Morals, by Herbert Spencer; Light and Electricity, two lectures before the Royal Institution, and Hours of Exercise, by Prof. Tyndall; and Light and Science for Leisure Hours: a series of Popular Essays on Scientific Subjects, by R. A. Proctor. It is gratifying to receive assurance from this house that regular copyright—the same as is usually paid to American authors—is regularly paid by them to Messrs. Huxley, Darwin, Tyndall, Spencer, and other scientific writers whose works they reprint.

A new map of Jerusalem, 27 by 33, folded to book size, from the ordnance survey made under the direction of Col. Sir Henry James, R. E., and with over eighty references to historic localities, will be published by Messrs. A. D. F. Randolph & Co., of New York. They also announce "Aunt Jane's Hero," by the author of "Stepping Heavenward;" "Belle Lovell," a tale for grown-up girls; a new edition of Mr. Da Costa's interesting "Guide to Lake George," and a handy edition of the same author's "Mount Desert," both well-illustrated; also, "Strange Tales from Humble Life;" and the "St. George's Hall Lectures," designed to meet current forms of unbelief among the educated classes, by various distinguished divines.

Professor Masson has now finished the second volume of his "Life of Milton," and it will soon be published by Macmillan, who also announces a two-volume life of one of the most remarkable of Milton's contemporaries, Anthony Ashley Cooper, first Earl of Shaftesbury; leader of opposition to Cromwell's government; a main instrument in the restoration of Charles II; the worst chancellor England ever had, and her earliest Parliamentary debater; the author of that much agitated "Titus Oates' plot. His career is one of the most interesting in the annals of English politics, and the author of his Life, Mr. W. D. Christie, has secured one of the best of subjects. The same firm publish "Guesses at Truth," by the Hare Brothers, which appropriately forms one of their "Golden Treasury Series."

How Moltke Received a Poem.

Count Moltke says in a letter to the poet Oscar Von Redwitz, who addressed to him his "Song of the New German Empire:"

"To the poet it is permitted to be prodigal. He sows with full hands diamonds and pearls, the stars of heaven and the flowers of the earth, and in the same spirit he bestows his praises. In this scene only can I receive your song conquering and to be great even of the past. These have been great also in adversity, and especially in adversity. We have had nothing but successes. Let it be called chance, destiny, fortune, or the ways of Providence—men alone have not done it. Conquests so great are essentially the result of a state of things which we can neither create nor dominate. The excellent but unfortunate Pope Adrian VI. the following words engraved on his tomb: 'How different is the action of even the best of men according to the times in which he lived.' More than once the most capable has fallen a victim to the invincible force of circumstances, while a less capable has been carried by it to success. If I see myself considered, not by the false and rash modesty, to consider as not deserved part of the praises bestowed on me, I am not the less indebted for them; for verses like yours may last longer than many a bronze or marble monument."

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THE INSTINCT OF TRAVEL.

How Pigeons, Cats, Hounds, and Horses Find Their Way Home Through Strange Countries.

A writer in the "Baltimore Sun" says that the French "pigeon-post" has recalled attention to a subject that has long had a deep interest for naturalists—the power of instinct animals exhibit of finding their way from a spot from whence they may have been taken, by a road never before traversed by them.

Pigeons carrying messages or returning long distances to their "cotes" most certainly find their way back by means of sight. This is evidenced by the fact of the long training required, and their inability and disinclination to fly during a fog. But this means of finding out a distant locality cannot apply in the cases we are about to record.

At Vancouver's island a gentleman had a house on one side of Esquimalt harbor, wherein he and his family resided. They had a favorite cat, which was always made a great pet. It so happened that the owner of the house had occasion to change his residence to the other side of the harbor. The distance in a straight line was quite a mile, while to reach the house by making a circuit of the harbor, a distance of quite four miles must be traveled, and that through a dense forest of pines, thickly undergrown with brushwood. When the family removed from one house to the other, puss was fastened securely in a basket, and taken in a boat across the harbor, and was not let out of her prison until she was secured in a room in her new residence.

It is quite clear in this case that the cat could not have seen anything of the route followed by water from house to house. Strange as it may seem, she made her escape during the night, and when, on the day following her removal, some of the family returned for articles left behind, there was pussy, somewhat dirty and tired, but in perfect safety. Now she could only have reached the residence in two ways—either by swimming the harbor, which is by no means probable, or she found her way through the forest, where she could not have passed through thick undergrowth, without any trail or path to guide her; and what makes the matter far more wonderful is the fact that the cat must have passed close to an Indian village, many of which a number of half-wild dogs were always prowling.

There is another story of somewhat similar character current now, but it is a cat, which is, I believe, well authenticated. "When living," says the writer, "at Four-Paths, Clarendon, Jamaica, I wanted a cat, and had one given to me which was nearly full grown; it was brought from Morgan's Valley estate, where it was bred, and had never been removed from that place before. The distance was five miles. It was put into a canvas bag and carried by a man on horseback. Between the two places there were two rivers, one of them 80 feet broad and two feet and a half deep in running strong; the other is wider, and more rapid, but less deep. Over these rivers are no bridges. The cat was shut up at Four-Paths for some days, and when considered it to be reconciled to her dwelling, she was allowed to go about the house. The day after obtaining her liberty she was missing, and, upon my next visiting the estate she was brought from. I was quite amazed to learn that the cat had come back again. Did she swim over the rivers in the dark, or, where the horse was brought with her, or did she ascend the banks for a considerable distance in search of a more shallow place, and where the stream was less rapid? At all events, she must have crossed the rivers, in opposition to her natural habits."

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CHILDHOOD AND MATERNITY.

An Address by Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, Before the New York Reform League.

"THE MOST PRECIOUS THING."

Something called me from my books one morning to that great gospel of Nature, whose texts are not in measured words, and have no stamp of metaphysical prejudice or pedantication. The beauty of the Summer makes present to me the beauty of those blossoms of humanity whose fair promise, alas! is but half fulfilled in human life, leaving a great debt to be worked out in diviner natures, beyond our mortal seeing and growing. Only the ideal humanity—only the angel can realize what the child foreshows, but cannot bring to pass.

I must here pause to ask and answer two very contradictory questions. What is the most precious thing that each generation has to transmit to its heirs? What is that which it most neglects and undervalues? To both I must make one answer—its children. I do notwish to rhapsodize on the dearties of childhood, but I must allow myself a little time in which to speak of them. Artists know the value of fresh outlines and undimmed colors in the emporium of the beautiful. Hair in which the sunlight is tangled, as in a net, falsely caught and made to do duty. Eyes dreamy as evening skies, and with a sleepy star flash in them, the delicate hues of Spring, the odors of Summer, limbs whose undistorted aptitudes invent new graces, and in movement or in sleep, give the model to sculptors—a speech which grows from the cooing of a dove through poetic periods of myth and allegory to the silver cadences of adolescence, a heart with its little treasons, its little selfish corners, but, also, with what powers of mutation, of generosity, of enthusiasm! My God! Thou gavest to woman in return for her anguish of an hour. This you give to man for the pains and responsibilities of paternity. The labor is great, the reward is inestimable. But oh! how do we receive your gift?

Mr. Curtis once got some ill-will by a portrait, too easily recognized, of a woman of fashion in the German—the father sitfously about the young babe whom the mother had forgotten. I would not be spiteful or sentimental over such an occurrence. Many of us have, willingly or unwillingly, kept such august visitors waiting. But to day, if I were the angel of Reminder, my commissioner to call these truant mothers from the ball-room, I could say from the experience of a whole life: Do you know that you have this lovely guest only to-day? To-morrow he will be other, and other the next day. His life has a short term, and is in permanent sea Spring-time. Oh! make haste to use and employ what passes rapidly and does not leave its peer.

Very irrational and unæsthetic is the leaving of children to the compassionate love of servants. Do you intend to drink your finest wines, a woman to wear your best silks and jewels? But the nurse flaunts up and down the park or promenade with your pretty one. The hireling, not the true mother, receives your lambs. She was allowed to go about the house. The day after obtaining her liberty she was missing, and, upon my next visiting the estate she was brought from. I was quite amazed to learn that the cat had come back again. Did she swim over the rivers in the dark, or, where the horse was brought with her, or did she ascend the banks for a considerable distance in search of a more shallow place, and where the stream was less rapid? At all events, she must have crossed the rivers, in opposition to her natural habits."

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But what shall we say of the fashionable discredit of maternity, of society, turning its power of innuendo and deprecation against the sacred source of its own life? I remember in my early manhood that that expectant maternity seemed a social disgrace to be carefully concealed, and to seem lousy as possible. If alluded to it was made a subject of commiseration or of unwelcome raiery. The happy models of social life were those who had one or two children only. A large family was in itself a misery.

I have, indeed, seen the reverse of this. I have seen beauty made more beautiful, and dignity lifted to majesty by the anticipation of that new life in which the woman receives, along with her child, a portion of its youth and freshness.

I have seen the inconvenience patiently borne, the reward anticipated, days and weeks, too precious with hope to be carelessly counted and dismissed. In such cases, the mother is a prophetess, and her child, when it comes, an embodied word of God. Wo to any act or omission that should silence it.

I do not mean by this that women necessarily must be subject to the mental and physical exhaustion consequent upon constant and over production. The rational power [illegible] such good as she sends. He says:

I'll answer your letter, my Julia,
For I can take oath you are mine;
Its tenor is coolly peculiar,
Though perfectly plain to dine.

Its news was forestalled by a rumor
Ed. Leader dropped from the springs.
It put me at first out of humor,
And up to unorthodox things.

I hated, you see, to surrender
What gave me such capital fun,
But I went on a regular bender,
And bent myself straight. See the pun?

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Of pique, I neglected to write;
Sent yourself and your sex to perdition,
And called you not pet names, my dear.

I thought a second of laudanum,
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So calling philosophy's aid up,
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My mind the whole thing is a joke.

So I stopped being spoony and fussing,
And putting a pitiful phiz,
And quitted my wickedest cussing,
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You shall have all your articles. Leastly,
The letters and poem I'll keep.
Of the views of the latter so beastly,
And feel no end of, not cheap.

Your kisses? To Tom I refer them;
His whiskers I think rather fizzy.
I'll tell him my trouble with joy as they greet them,
And thus make the transfer by proxy.

I went down to Barker's by stages,
As fast as a fellow can do;
But though he's the best in the ages,
He's now false enough, Julie, for you.

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BRIEFLETS.

—A Hamburg paper contains the advertisement of two sisters. It concludes thus: "Any one wishing one or two wives has only to apply."

—Boarder—"This tea seems very weak, Mrs. Skimp." Landlady—"Well, I guess it must be the warm weather. I feel weak, myself; in fact, every body complains."

—At a theatre in Manchester, Eng., while the play of Pickwick was on, the jury in the famous Bardell case suddenly disappeared from the stage. Their box had given way and engulphed them in the flooring below.

—An excellent old gentleman declines to be swindled by the Pompeiian antique bronzes. "Don't tell me, sir, don't tell me: you can't make me believe that they dig up ready-made pots out of the ground. Stuff and nonsense."

—A young countryman, shopping in Lawrence, Mass., on Saturday, stole a ride on the sprinkler of the watering cart. The driver pulled the valve leaver and the countryman rose about three feet into the air coming down wetter, but wiser.

—At a meeting of Spiritualists at Saginaw, Moses Hall, one of the speakers, said that when a little boy he could see faces around his bed every night, and knew they were faces of those in the spirit land. His mother reproved him by telling him to "go to sleep, for nothing ailed him but worms." The Enterprise profanely adds: "We guess mother was right."

—A little girl in New York, recently celebrated her fourth birthday by attending Sabbath school. When the recitations of the class were finished, the teacher asked her if she could repeat some little verse she had learned. She promptly replied she could, and astonished the class by the following:

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—There has been an item going about a hen in Boston laying eggs so small that twenty-one of them were put in a collar box at once. That looked like pretty small business for a able-bodied hen until the author of the story was discovered. He said it was a horse collar box he meant.

LOVE OF THE PERIOD.

I've just left the ball-room, dear Harry,
To drop you this bit of a note,
Which the Gentile has promised to carry,
Direct, by the four o'clock boat.

The season is certainly over;
Sun summers'a refused Colonel Chuter;
Don's wear kids when the seas crowd
Because our affair follows suit.

I only engaged for the season;
You are primest of partners I vow;
I'll tell you directly the reason
I'm writing so hastily now.

Please send me at once by Tom Tinberne—
His whiskers are simply divine—
My picture, that copy of Swinburne,
And everything that is fine.

Yet I know that this bliss unalloyed,
If once I were bound as your wife,
Would fade like a lor kleft, destroyed
By dullness of no-money life.

And so I've determined, dear Harry—
As girls of the period do—
Although I don't mean to marry,
I will not be, my dearest, to you.

At the Arlington soiree next winter,
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BROUGHT TO BAY.

An English Officer's Story.

Perhaps you may laugh, but, nevertheless, it is perfectly true; and this is how it happened.

As you may be quite sure, being only nineteen, I was most tremendously anxious to get my commission, and when at last I was gazetted to the 204th Foot I did not give my tailor much rest till my uniform and the paraphernalia of my outfit were sent home.

I dare say, to the old and sage, it is very ridiculous; but to me it was glorious, that first putting on of military garments. The bedroom door was locked: I was quite alone. There was a tall cheval glass by the bedside, and what was there to prevent me from strutting about, as scarlet in the face, almost as my tightly buttoned tunic? It did not fit me perfectly, I knew, but having it altered would necessitate its being taken away, and that idea was insupportable. So I kept my things just as they were, and in the hot stage of scarlet fever in which I then was, the fact of my regiment being ordered to China did not give me much uneasiness; for even in a Chinese war there did not seem much cause for discomfort, since I believed that the British could chase the barbarians by the thousands.

I will not trouble you with the account of our long journey out, and our landing in the Celestial Empire. Let it suffice when I tell you that upon our arrival it was to find hostilities in full progress, and boy as I was, I had to take my turn with the rest, smelt powder, heard the whiz of bullets, and saw my smart uniform soiled with mud and filth.

It was hot work in both senses of the word. Now we were wading in a river-bed or creek, with the blazing sun above us, and the rank, steamy heat rising from the slime; now we were storming a mud fort, or chasing the enemy over the swampy rice-fields, or through canebrakes; while the next day, perhaps, we were accompanying some looting expedition.

At last, after making pretty good progress up the country, we stormed a town, which I will call Ling-Po. It had been a pretty rough job, for the walls had been held by a strong party of Braves. However, at last, the day was ours; the Braves were supposed to have been driven out, and we had taken possession, the men distributing themselves pretty well over the place, and I was along with a half a dozen of the bandsmen, who were on their way to the place chosen for head-quarters, there to deposit their instruments previous to going upon ambulance duty—the helping of the wounded being, we perhaps you are aware, the duty of bandsmen in time of war.

We were rather indifferently armed, the bandsmen having only those short, Roman-looking swords—very blunt ones too—and though I had my sword and revolver, I had received a nasty thrust through the right arm from the spear of a Brave—a hurt which necessitated the wounded limb being carried in a sling, and made me feel more sick and faint than I cared to own amongst men who would have looked upon my injury as a mere scratch.

The townwas evidently a large, densely populated place, full of crooked lanes, streets, and blind alleys, among which we kept wandering for quite an hour before we were compelled to own that we had lost our way.

"If you'll be kind enough to take the lade, Mr. Gray, we'll follow ye," said one of the bandsmen, turning suddenly round upon me and scratching his puzzled pate.

"I'm ready enough to lead, Dennis," I said, "but I'm about done up for want of a little water. I was thinking of asking you to carry me."

"I'm thinking, sor, that we may just as well sit down in the shade and wait, for the headquarthers is just as likely to come to us, as we are to go to it. A big place like this would require a map-maker."

"I thought I'd tell you, sir, that there's a couple of Chinese been following us for the last five minutes," said another one of the men, "and 't sin't as if we had rifles."

I looked uneasily back down the long, narrow, sun-glared street, but there was not a soul visible. All was still as death, save for a distant shot or two, which seemed to come from quite another part of the town, and to indicate that the fighting was not entirely at an end. The bronze on either hand were closely shuttered, and presented the most blank of aspects, and, though we scanned the windows above, not a watching face was visible.

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You know how it is yourself.

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—There has been an item going about a hen in Boston laying eggs so small that twenty-one of them were put in a collar box at once. That looked like pretty small business for a able-bodied hen until the author of the story was discovered. He said it was a horse collar box he meant.

LOVE OF THE PERIOD.

I've just left the ball-room, dear Harry,
To drop you this bit of a note,
Which the Gentile has promised to carry,
Direct, by the four o'clock boat.

The season is certainly over;
Sun summers'a refused Colonel Chuter;
Don's wear kids when the seas crowd
Because our affair follows suit.

I only engaged for the season;
You are primest of partners I vow;
I'll tell you directly the reason
I'm writing so hastily now.

Please send me at once by Tom Tinberne—
His whiskers are simply divine—
My picture, that copy of Swinburne,
And everything that is fine.

Yet I know that this bliss unalloyed,
If once I were bound as your wife,
Would fade like a lor kleft, destroyed
By dullness of no-money life.

And so I've determined, dear Harry—
As girls of the period do—
Although I don't mean to marry,
I will not be, my dearest, to you.

At the Arlington soiree next winter,
Dear Hal, you must surely be there;
I shall wear my Brussels lace flounce,
He's a horrid hump-backed millionaire!
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"Come back, sir, you coward, come back!" exclaimed a voice, and the sword-armed hand of the stout ophicleide-player was laid upon my arm. "It's like running to death, and—here quick! down here," he shouted, hurriedly; "those fellows who have been firing on us are closing up."

A glance revealed our position plainly enough: we were between two fires, and, darting down a narrow lane, we hastily pursued its windings.

"Our people must hear the noise soon, and clear the town," whispered the corporal to me, as he forced his arm under mine. "Hold up, sir, you're a bit weak—that's the way. Now then, men, keep together; it's our only chance."

The last words, as if it would have no end; and all the time there were one enemies yelling and shouting in full pursuit. If we were overtaken, we knew what our fate must be—instant death, or else some horrible torture, for in their eyes we were so many foreign devils.

I looked back twice, each time to see the fierce faces of the yelling mob panting in pursuit, and once I grew giddy with dread; but I was pressing on the next moment, my head being steadied with by an approval Smith exclaimed "Hold up, sir, we'll stand by you to a man; and, look! there's the end of it at last."

The end of the lane was indeed there; but, to our horror, we saw that it was blocked up by the ruins of a couple of houses, evidently too near the wall, which had been knocked down by our boat-guns.

"It's all up now, me boys," said the Irishman, with a howl; "but let's die game for the honor of the ould ridgment. I'll give 'em a call though, anyhow," he exclaimed, "it may bring help;" and as we faced round, he put his cornet to his lips and blew a loud rallying call; and there, in the face even of a horrible death, so great was the power of music in the hearts of Britishmen involuntarily raised their instruments to their lips.

"Here, what a fool I am!" roared Smith, lowering his huge bell-mouthed brass piece the next moment, for the Chinamen were within half a dozen yards, and rushing at us with lowered spears.

"Quick, my boys! a man a piece first. Fire, sir, fire!"

I had already taken aim at the nearest man with my revolver, and was in act of drawing the trigger, when, as Smith lowered the great ophicleide, the foremost Braves saw its huge belching mouth directed full upon them, stopped short, yelling with horror—and in a moment there was a regular *stampede*, the frightened wretches trampling one another in their hurry to escape.

"Bedad!" shrieked Denis, "the devils are afraid of the wind instruments. Blow, me boys, blow! Give 'em the big notes, corporal: let out at 'em, Tom, with the thrombone. Hurray, then! Don't be afraid. Let go with the clarionet, Tim; that'll give 'em the toothache. Arrah, if only Mick Bligh, or Jem Hayes were with the pipes!"

I have heard men learning, and I have heard the practice in the band-room; but never before, I am confident, did such a roaring bray issue from the mouth of instruments of brass as was now sent after the retreating Braves.

"Fire again, me boys!" shouted Dennis, as he saw in the distance some half-dozen men pause, as if to see how many had been slain by the fearful weapon that put them to flight. "A big one this time corporal!"

"Pump!—pump!—pump!—pump!" went the ophicleide; the trombone grunted, snorted, and cut and slashed in all directions, high and low, sending forth volley of minims and semibreves worthy of the pedal pipes of a large organ; while the other instruments brayed, roared, howled, and made such discords as would have sent a professor mad. But it was not in vain, for this second discharge had the effect of sending the last tail flying round the corner, and there we were accompanying some looting expedition.

At last, after making pretty good progress up the country, we stormed a town, which I will call Ling-Po. It had been a pretty rough job, for the walls had been held by a strong party of Braves. However, at last, the day was ours; the Braves were supposed to have been driven out, and we had taken possession, the men distributing themselves pretty well over the place, and I was along with a half a dozen of the bandsmen, who were on their way to the place chosen for head-quarters, there to deposit their instruments previous to going upon ambulance duty—the helping of the wounded being, we perhaps you are aware, the duty of bandsmen in time of war.

We were rather indifferently armed, the bandsmen having only those short, Roman-looking swords—very blunt ones too—and though I had my sword and revolver, I had received a nasty thrust through the right arm from the spear of a Brave—a hurt which necessitated the wounded limb being carried in a sling, and made me feel more sick and faint than I cared to own amongst men who would have looked upon my injury as a mere scratch.

The townwas evidently a large, densely populated place, full of crooked lanes, streets, and blind alleys, among which we kept wandering for quite an hour before we were compelled to own that we had lost our way.

"If you'll be kind enough to take the lade, Mr. Gray, we'll follow ye," said one of the bandsmen, turning suddenly round upon me and scratching his puzzled pate.

"I'm ready enough to lead, Dennis," I said, "but I'm about done up

Courier-Journal.

SUNDAY MORNING, JUNE 18, 1871.

The Monday COURIER-JOURNAL, sent to our Sunday issue, has a larger amount and greater variety of interesting news and miscellaneous matter than any other issue during the week. It reaches both city and country, and is especially valuable as an advertising medium.

Arrival and Closing of Mails at the Louisville Postoffice.

MAILS.	ARRIVE AT		CLOSE.	
	Day.	NIT'S	Day.	NIT'S
Chi. & Eastern	5:30 A.M. 12:00 M. 9:00 P.M.	9:00	9:00	12:30
Indianapolis and Chicago	1:00	10:00	1:00	12:30
St. Louis	9:00	10:00	1:00	12:30
Memphis, Ch'ston, Vicksburg & New Or.	9:00 A.M. 9:00 P.M.	10:00	9:00 A.M. 9:00 P.M.	12:30
Nashville, Chatta.	9:00 A.M.	10:00	9:00 P.M.	12:30
Louisville, Lexington & Mid.	9:00 A.M.		9:00 P.M.	
Shelbyville, Eminence & Pewee Valley	9:00 A.M.		5:00 P.M.	
Salem	9:00		5:00	
Bardstown, Mt. Washington & Taylorsville	9:00		5:00	
Bardstown Junction	11:30	7:00	5:00	12:30
Lebanon, Springfield & Danville	9:00		5:00	
Cincinnati	9:00		5:00	12:30
Brownsville, Bald Knob, Cave City and daily Mail	9:00		5:00	
New Albany	9:00	10:00	1:00	12:30
Jeffersonville	1:00	10:00	1:00	12:30
Fifth Ward	9:00		5:00	
Portland	9:00		5:00	
Shelbyville, Mail	11:30		5:00	12:30
Taylorsville, Mail			5:00	
Bardstown, Mail	9:00		5:00	
Frankfort, Versailles, Lawrenceburg, Georgetown, Paris, Maysville, Lexington, Harrodsburg, Danville, Stanford, Crab Orchard, Somerset, Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle, Big Hill, Rockcastle, Manchester, Barbourville, Cumberland Gap, Knoxville, Cleveland, Dalton, Atlanta, Augusta, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Fla.	9:00		5:00	
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CITY BUSINESS.

☞ Mrs. A. Nelson is selling hats and all trimmed goods at cost. Ladies are invited to call and get the latest fashions and the best quality of goods at all times at Mrs. Nelson's.

"Big and Little Cassinos."

It is proper to explain that the words "Big and Little Cassinos," which have been conspicuously posted throughout the city for some days, refer to a new brand of cigar, and not to highly-flavored cigars, which is just out, and kept for sale by "Leo," at his charming stand, No. 8 Masonic Temple.

The Louisville Real Estate Bulletin.

This paper, in the hands of its efficient manager, has become one of the most influential of its class in this country.

It is a power for good in our city. It is having a marked influence in the progress and development of Louisville. The issue for June 15 (100,000) is a great advertisement for Louisville and all her interests, and such a one as she has never had before. It should be read, every word of it, by every man who calls Louisville his home and has pride in her welfare.

Let every merchant, manufacturer and man of business obtain the Bulletin for June, and a dozen of them, and send them to his friends. Send them far and near; millions of dollars of capital may be attracted here by this means. The paper is furnished FREE to all who apply, by Morris, Southwick & Co.

Old Rockcastle Springs.

We called attention a few days since to these justly celebrated springs. More than we have learned that this will, beyond question, be the favorite summer resort in Kentucky the coming season; many of our best city folks with their families having determined to visit that point where they are assured they can obtain quiet, rest and thoroughly recuperate through the hot summer months. The charges as we understand are, for adults $10 per week; children and servants half price; but for children under four or five years old no charges will be made. This is cheaper really than a home-living, and we do sincerely hope that the thoroughly business men now running and having charge of them, Messrs. Burnside, Anderson & Co., of Lancaster, Ky., will meet with that success they so justly merit. Large parties are being formed already, we learn, in Cincinnati, Lexington, Louisville and this city. So those who want rooms had better engage them ahead.

West-End Enterprise.

Whilst other portions of the city are all alive with the spirit of improvement the West End is not lagging behind. Among the grand enterprises which are destined to make Louisville the first of any city in the West, and that before many years, another is just being set on foot in the locality referred to which equals, if not surpasses, them all.

West End will soon have a town hall, market-house, Masonic Lodge and Odd Fellows' Lodge, in one large building, and under a single roof. The citizens in that part of the city known as the "Cross Roads" district, on Twenty-sixth street and Portland avenue, are moving earnestly in the matter of the early erection of this building.

This enterprise will prove of immense advantage to every one who has selected this portion of the city for a residence. There is a large and rapidly increasing population literally filling up the 26th on Rank, Magazine, Portland and High streets and Portland avenue, west of the United States Marine Hospital, and the erection of just such a building as the one contemplated is fast becoming a necessity.

The enterprise is in the hands and under the supervision of a few able, practical and energetic citizens, who are preparing the details of organization and the plans, specifications, estimates, &c., for the proposed improvement. It is to be built on the joint stock principle, the books for which will be opened in a short time and all facts and figures relating to the matter will be presented in an intelligent and practical form.

Result of the Fire-Engine Test.

The Joint Committee on Fire Departments, consisting of Mayor Bulloch, Geo. W. Levi, Chief, and Messrs. J. A. Krack, James C. Gilbert, James A. Leech, Charles D. Jacob and John M. Lenterie, held a meeting yesterday evening and unanimously awarded Mr. John B. Davies, of the Washington Foundry, the contract for furnishing the city with a new fire engine to be located at the new building now in course of erection on Sixth street, between York and Lexington streets. This may be considered a most substantial proof of Louisville's progress. The construction of a first-class fire engine capable of carrying the severe tasks now demanded of this class of machinery, may be taken as a fair indication of the high ability of the mechanics of this city. The authorities seem at last to be discarding the short-sighted policy of importing machinery, and have commenced to encourage local enterprise.

The Hoosac Tunnel.

Col. Sidney B. Jones, general passenger agent of the Louisville and Cincinnati Short-line Railroad Company, received from Wyoming Territory, a few days since, the largest pair of elk horns ever brought to this city. His instructions to present them to the Short-line railroad for making the quickest time ever made from Louisville to Eastern cities. This magnificent pair of antlers is upon the head of the elk, which is 22 inches long and 9 inches between the eyes. The horns are 4 feet 6 inches in length, 2 feet 10 inches from tip to tip, and 18 inches in circumference at the base. They are now being dressed, gilded and ornamented, and will soon be placed upon the engine that made the run from Louisville to Cincinnati in two hours and fifty-eight minutes.

Death of Hon. Thomas H. Crawford.

We are pained to chronicle the death of this estimable gentleman, which took place yesterday at 1¾ o'clock at his residence in Pewee Valley. Mr. Crawford was in his 58th year, and all his life he was closely identified with our city, all his interests being centered here. He held many positions of honor and trust, having served the city as Mayor, and at all times filling them with great credit and fidelity. As a true Christian, in all the walks of life, he was a living example of a pure and spotless character. Patiently and with fortitude he bore the sufferings the result of the terrible accident which caused his death, the announcement of which will fill the community with sorrow. The remains will arrive at the Frankfort and Lexington railroad depot at 12¼ o'clock to-day, and from there be taken to Cave Hill for interment.

A Singular Explosion.

Mr. Leopold Stoll, the proprietor of the Kentucky Brewery on Market street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, was preparing a solution of lime and water last Friday evening, for the purpose of whitewashing his premises. Taking up a large lump of quicklime he plunged it into a large vessel full of water. Almost immediately a violent explosion took place, scattering the heated mass of lime all over Mr. Stoll, burning his face and hands very severely, and a portion also striking the left arm of his daughter Millie, a girl about nine years of age, inflicting a severe burn. Mr. Stoll's barkeeper and others in the vicinity hastened to his assistance. In removing the lime from his face and hands portions of the skin also peeled off. Dr. Brady was called and did all that skill could do to relieve the sufferers. It is feared, however, that Mr. Stoll's eyesight will be permanently injured.

A Boy Drowned.

A young man by the name of Louis Kissell, aged seventeen years, was drowned yesterday evening, in a small pond near the intersection of the Shelbyville pike and Southall street. An inquest was held about 8 o'clock, a verdict night over the remains, and the verdict of the jury was that the deceased came to his death by accidental drowning while bathing in the pond. This is another fearful warning both to boys and to parents. It is always dangerous for a boy, unless attended by some grown person, to go into water of utmost any supposed depth, for there is no knowing that accident may have occurred to make the depth greater than is calculated.

Academy of the Most Holy Rosary.

The annual commencement exercises of the Academy of Holy Rosary will be held next Thursday evening at the building on the corner of Eighth and Kentucky streets. The institution is under the direction of the Dominican sisterhood, and the young ladies under their charge receive a good education. An agreeable entertainment is expected.

New Music.

We have received from S. P. Faulds the following late publications: "Pearl Schottische," by Charles L. Ward. "And is thy cruel heart still unrelenting," by F. Campana; words by M. L. L. "Sing Smile Slumber," by Gounod; words by M. E. L. "Love's Greeting," by Kucken; words by E. Everest.

IMPORTANT DECISION.

A Forced Marriage Made Under Duress Pronounced Null and Void.

JUDGE COURTNEY'S OPINION.

An important decision was rendered in the Chancery Court yesterday in the case of James W. Ferry vs. Sarah Seaborn.

The petition in this case is in the following words: "The plaintiff, James W. Ferry, states that he is a resident of Jefferson county, in the State of Kentucky, and that the defendant is a resident of the same county; that the defendant, Sarah Seaborn, conspired with one Robert Easton, a justice of the peace of said county, to obtain by force and fraud a marriage between this plaintiff and the defendant; that the said Easton, on the — day of June, 1870, at the request of the defendant, issued a pretended warrant in the name of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, commanding any constable of said county to arrest this plaintiff and bring him before the said Easton and some other justice of the peace for Jefferson county; that the said Easton delivered the said warrant to one Robert Foster, a constable of said county; that said Foster, in pretended obedience to said pretended warrant, did, on the — day of June, 1870, unlawfully arrest the plaintiff and brought him before said Easton and one Wm. Woods, a justice of the peace of said county, and took this plaintiff for twelve miles in the city of Louisville and imprisoned him until the next day; that the justices aforesaid threatened to imprison and deprive him of his liberty if he refused to marry the said Sarah Seaborn; all of which threats were made while the plaintiff was in the custody of said constable; that the said Easton and others threatened to confine this plaintiff in the penitentiary for a term of years, unless he would marry the said Sarah Seaborn which threat was made while the plaintiff was in the custody aforesaid; that the plaintiff, through fear of being deprived of his liberty, and while in the custody of said constable, was compelled to submit to and go through with a marriage ceremony with said Sarah Seaborn; and that said marriage ceremony was performed while this plaintiff was in the custody of said Foster; that the said pretended marriage was obtained by force and duress; that said pretended marriage was obtained by defendant's fraud; that said pretended marriage was also obtained by defendant as above set forth, in pursuance of the conspiracy between the defendants and one of Foster's deputies, for the purpose of cohabitation with said defendant. Plaintiff states that, at the time of the issue of the said pretended warrant, and at the time of said pretended marriage, the defendant was pregnant and about five months gone with child, and that the defendant entered into said conspiracy with said Easton for the purpose of repairing her damaged reputation by obtaining a husband in the person and name of plaintiff, and that said conspirators wickedly and unlawfully selected the plaintiff to be the victim of their conspiracy. Wherefore the plaintiff prays that said pretended marriage may be decreed void by sentence of nullity by reason of the same having been procured by fraud and duress; that said pretended marriage may be annulled by the decree of this honorable Court, and for all other proper relief. Seymour & Abbott, attorneys for plaintiff."

The cause was set out to the Chancellor on the petition and proof, there being no answer filed. A decree was returned for the plaintiff according to the prayer of his petition, annulling the marriage and declaring it null and void. From this in this case by both parties, and the plaintiff's petition was fully sustained as to the charges against defendant.

SCIENTIFIC.

The Coming Meeting of the American Association at Indianapolis, and What Louisville Might Do.

The twentieth meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science will be held at Indianapolis in August. This is expected to be the largest and most interesting of the meetings of the association, and it will be attended by the principal scientists of the country, and a number of Canadian and European savans will also be present. Papers will be read and discussions will follow upon subjects of natural science at present agitating the reading and thinking world.

The membership of the association are held yearly in different parts of the United States, and, as the next meeting is to be held so near this city, I might be well to invite the members of the association to visit our city, assemble, deliberate and give them an opportunity of becoming acquainted with the various objects of interest in this vicinity, as has been done by cities in the neighborhood of places where former meetings have been held. A similar opportunity may not occur for many years, unless perhaps men of scientific acquirements here should establish a kindred society or some other institute that would have influence sufficient to induce the association to make this city a point of meeting at some time.

The falls of the Ohio and the caves of this State are places of interest, a visit to which all scientists would appreciate. Louisville is famed for her hospitality, and more worthy guests than the scientists of America she could not invite to experience her hospitality.

The citizens of Indianapolis are making great preparations for their illustrious visitors. An element among those thus engaged is Mr. Cox, the State Geologist. Besides the pleasure of entertaining such visitors, their coming to this city will be productive of good as it has been to other cities. Louisville, it is true, has no scientific association at the present time of standing sufficient to attract a large number of scientists in welcoming the members of this Association, but she has some thorough scientists and many men of high social standing, wealth and influence, who could and should take measures to invite them here.

New Albany, our sister city, is a little ahead of Louisville in this matter. A good natural history society is established there, possessing collections of geological, botanical and entomological specimens from nearly all parts of the world. A few of such societies are accomplished scholars, and they have invited the members of the Association to visit their young society at New Albany. The invitation has been accepted, and the people of New Albany will give them a hearty welcome.

If Louisville intends to invite them here she ought to do so at once, and not delay her arrangements until the time necessary to prepare for a fitting reception has passed.

AMUSEMENTS.

Floral Park.

The city gas has been extended to Floral Park. Arrangements will be made for promenade concerts in that delightful place of resort, commencing on Thursday night. On and after Monday next the Park will be illuminated every night.

Festival.

A spiritualistic festival takes place next Thursday at Boone Park. A number of distinguished spiritualists will address those present—such as Robert Dale Owen, Miss Ballou, Miss M. Pease, etc. Mediums from far and near will be present, among others the Keigwins, of Jeffersonville, who are said by spiritualists to possess most wonderful power.

Manning's Minstrels.

To-morrow evening Manning's troupe, from Dearborn Theater, Chicago, will give the first of four evening entertainments, at Masonic Temple. This company is a very large one, embracing about twenty-four performers, each one of whom has received high praise in his particular line from the press of Chicago and of the various cities visited since the present tour was commenced. Reserved seats may be secured by tickets to be had at Mr. W. S. Hays' music store.

The Mendelssohn.

The Mendelssohn will give a concert next Tuesday evening at Association Hall, on the corner of Fifth and Walnut streets, the proceeds of which will be for the benefit of the Young Men's Christian Association. Besides many selections by Butterfield, Schubert, Handel, Meyerbeer, Donizetti, Flotow and Von Weber, the Mendelssohn will give Luther's Church Service in B, with orchestral accompaniment. A large number of the lovers of good music will recollect the powerful rendering of the service at a late rehearsal by the members of the society. The claims of the Young Men's Association upon the people of Louisville need not now be repeated; the efforts for good made by the association keep its merits constantly before the public. A large attendance will doubtless be present.

Masonic Temple.

The series of gymnastic exhibitions by the members of the Louisville Gymnasium, at the Masonic Temple on the 1st, 2d, 3d and Saturday evenings, will be well worthy of large audiences. At rehearsal their feats of dexterity show a thorough ability rarely attained by amateurs, and fully equal to most professionals. In addition to the performances by the members of the gymnasium, Mr. John T. Caniff, the blind musician, has volunteered his services. Classic scenes will be given by Messrs. Dinsmoor and Graham. Master Frank Foster will give a character song and dance, Mr. Preston Wolf will sing several of his character songs, and Mr. Wm. Lindsey will give some of his comic songs. There will be a matinee in addition to the evening entertainment on Saturday. Tickets will be for sale during the time preceding the entertainment at the music stores throughout the city.

PISTOLS AND COFFEE.

Some Sunday Reflections Upon a Saturday Sensation.

Pistols and coffee, yesterday, were all the rage, its told; two youths were going to slash away as in the days of old. On human flesh to draw the bead, doth make the blood run cold; but men be not as men were then, the brave old days of old. For once again the sky is clear where late the thunders rolled; the pibroch now no more we hear, as in the days of old. Fo see waves her snowy ensign high. Our hearts be no more grow cold, for men no longer fight and die as in the days of old. A higher civilization now is her glorious tale hath told; swords cut no more night's azure brow as in the days of old. Oh, put me in my little bed, the river round me fold; the twain will free us while we might be dead, if in the days of old. Our little hands were never made the Derringer to hold; a nobler spirit here is shed than in the days of old. Sing out the old, ring in the new, and let the bell be tolled; men fight not as they used to do in the brave old days of old. Thanks to the nineteenth century for a spirit calm, yet bold; and thanks that man no longer be as they used to days of old.

Literary.

"Among My Books" is the title of a very interesting little volume just published. The name of the author is concealed, but whether this is the first attempt of a novice, or the maiden effort of some well-known literateur, is merits are unmistakable, and the first page given forth no uncertain sound. The work consists of a series of short criticisms of authors and things in general, and the article on Dean Swift, or Sco t, is alone worth the full price of the book. For sale by Davidson, Bro. & Co., Main street, between Fourth and Fifth.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

PREPARATIONS are being made to build the street railroad out Eighteenth street.

A GIRL named Kate Parcel was arrested yesterday evening on the charge of stealing $35 00 from Pete Moore.

A CARPET-SACK was stolen from a gentleman on Main street yesterday, and the thief ran off followed several squares, but eventually made his escape.

HIGH STREET is being cut down so much below the former grade that the property-holders suggest the name of "Low street" as more applicable.

A MULE attached to a Market-street car fell to the ground yesterday evening and the coach ran on top of him. The poor animal was so badly cut and bruised that he is probably dead by this time.

ONE HUNDRED and forty-two United States infantry arrived from Cincinnati on Friday night by the Ohio and Mississippi Railway, and left by the Louisville and Nashville Railroad for New Orleans.

FOUR persons died in this city last week over seventy years of age: Peter Newmans, born in Germany, 76; Mr. F. Cosby, born in this county, 70; Elizabeth Allen, born in the United States, 80; A. Williams, born in Kentucky, 70.

A LADY, with a small child, went to a house in the West End, several days ago, and asked to stay all night. Next morning she went away, leaving the child, stating that she would return in a short while. She has not yet returned.

MR. F. W. MEER, of this city, has been awarded the contract to furnish all the iron work for the new State capitol at Frankfort. It is stated that the new iron stairway leading to the Senate chamber will be the most elegant on this continent.

A BAND of German musicians attracted considerable attention on Seventh street yesterday. In front of every third or fourth house they would play, and their skirmishers or flankers would go to the doors to solicit the money. One lady gave them a slice bottle of wine, but most of the people failed to respond.

A GENTLEMAN living at Portland avenue and Bridge street claims to have fourteen chickens hatched from ten eggs. This is the second instance of the kind which has occurred within the last month, and argues against the theory which holds that in-breeding tends to the extinction of species, as many of the families of the Brigham Young school.

Two girls, about fourteen years old, made their appearance at the office of Police Justice Taylor, this morning, and stated that the Mother Superior is very kind to them, but that the inmates of the institution are not so, and hence they left. It is, however, not believed that their condition would be bettered by being allowed to remain on the streets.

A WAGON was sent down the street yesterday loaded with twelve kegs of beer. A little stream commenced to run from one of them, and when the load reached its destination that keg was perfectly empty. A dispute next arose about the beer between the driver and the owner. Their altercation, however, was carried on in a friendly manner, and no serious injury was done.

EARLY THIS MORNING a disturbance took place at a saloon on the north side of Jefferson street, between Third and Fourth streets, in which two men were knocked down and one received a blow with a brick in the face. No policemen were present, and consequently no arrests were made. The parties, after the fight, appeared to be willing to "bury the hatchet" and remain friendly, and proceeded to soothe their ruffled feelings in the flowing bowl.

A MULE attached to a street-car yesterday evening, when near the corner of Green and Preston, saw how got his hind foot caught under one of the rails, and as he was going at a steady iro', the hoof was wrenched entirely off. The poor brute must have suffered terribly. He was at once detached from the car and his wound bled profusely; though he is still alive unless some humane person has put an end to his suffering by killing him.

BILLY ROSENBAUM was found very drunk yesterday at the corner of Eighteenth and Walnut streets. Officer Pickering and he had a big scuffle, which resulted when Rosenbaum was locked up in Seventeenth-street station-house. Mr. Pickering had to tie him, hand and foot, then place him on a cart, and finally take him to his cell. After being confined in the cell he commenced to sing, stating that he was preparing for a concert, to be held last night. All the policemen were invited. It is said that he sung all day.

PERSONAL.

Mr. H. V. Reddick, the racy Southern correspondent of the Cincinnati Commercial, came up from "the Pittsburgh of the South" (which is Chattanooga) last night, and will spend a day or two in Louisville.

Judge D. K. Wells, Greensboro, Ky.; Col. I. Short, F. B. Hanson, Greenville, Ky.; E. H. Batchenfield, editor Weekly Tribune, Russellville, Ark.; Maj. L. Green, Falls of Rough, Ky., and J. D. Brent, Covington, are registered at the Louisville Hotel.

FRUITS AND FLOWERS.

An Interesting Exhibition by the Horticultural Society Yesterday.

The weekly exhibition of the Kentucky Horticultural Society was held yesterday morning. At least the display of fruits and flowers was very attractive; but on account of the wet morning the attendance was very limited. All the ladies who were present left with the exception of six, and there were each presented with an elegant bouquet by Messrs. Thomas, Hillenmeyer & Son, Nicholas Hill and Mr. Lyle, Mayor and High streets and Portland avenue, west of the United States Marine Hospital, and the erection of just such a building as the one contemplated is fast becoming a necessity.

The enterprise is in the hands and under the supervision of a few able, practical and energetic citizens, who are preparing the details of organization and the plans, specifications, estimates, &c., for the proposed improvement. It is to be built on the joint stock principle, the books for which will be opened in a short time and all facts and figures relating to the matter will be presented in an intelligent and practical form.

The invitation has been accepted, and the people of New Albany will give them a hearty welcome.

If Louisville intends to invite them here she ought to do so at once, and not delay her arrangements until the time necessary to prepare for a fitting reception has passed.

AMUSEMENTS.

Floral Park.

The city gas has been extended to Floral Park. Arrangements will be made for promenade concerts in that delightful place of resort, commencing on Thursday night. On and after Monday next the Park will be illuminated every night.

Festival.

A spiritualistic festival takes place next Thursday at Boone Park. A number of distinguished spiritualists will address those present—such as Robert Dale Owen, Miss Ballou, Miss M. Pease, etc. Mediums from far and near will be present, among others the Keigwins, of Jeffersonville, who are said by spiritualists to possess most wonderful power.

Manning's Minstrels.

To-morrow evening Manning's troupe, from Dearborn Theater, Chicago, will give the first of four evening entertainments, at Masonic Temple. This company is a very large one, embracing about twenty-four performers, each one of whom has received high praise in his particular line from the press of Chicago and of the various cities visited since the present tour was commenced. Reserved seats may be secured by tickets to be had at Mr. W. S. Hays' music store.

The Mendelssohn.

The Mendelssohn will give a concert next Tuesday evening at Association Hall, on the corner of Fifth and Walnut streets, the proceeds of which will be for the benefit of the Young Men's Christian Association. Besides many selections by Butterfield, Schubert, Handel, Meyerbeer, Donizetti, Flotow and Von Weber, the Mendelssohn will give Luther's Church Service in B, with orchestral accompaniment. A large number of the lovers of good music will recollect the powerful rendering of the service at a late rehearsal by the members of the society. The claims of the Young Men's Association upon the people of Louisville need not now be repeated; the efforts for good made by the association keep its merits constantly before the public. A large attendance will doubtless be present.

Masonic Temple.

The series of gymnastic exhibitions by the members of the Louisville Gymnasium, at the Masonic Temple on the 1st, 2d, 3d and Saturday evenings, will be well worthy of large audiences. At rehearsal their feats of dexterity show a thorough ability rarely attained by amateurs, and fully equal to most professionals. In addition to the performances by the members of the gymnasium, Mr. John T. Caniff, the blind musician, has volunteered his services. Classic scenes will be given by Messrs. Dinsmoor and Graham. Master Frank Foster will give a character song and dance, Mr. Preston Wolf will sing several of his character songs, and Mr. Wm. Lindsey will give some of his comic songs. There will be a matinee in addition to the evening entertainment on Saturday. Tickets will be for sale during the time preceding the entertainment at the music stores throughout the city.

H. E. JONES, THE SUICIDE.

His Sad History.

The following doleful letter was picked up near Carrollton by a negro boy last Wednesday as he was rowing a skiff on the Ohio river. Approaching near the writer's place, he discovered a black bottle floating on the surface, which he picked up, little dreaming that it contained cash and riches. Though the bottle was securely corked, enough water had found its way through to saturate the sheet, upon whose stained surface the following was written:

"To the finder of this paper:

"My name is Henry H. Jones, of Louisville, Ky. On account of my troubles I have determined to commit suicide. I have divorced myself in the Ohio river, at the mouth of the Little Miami. I have buried my pecker-book, containing $8,000, and a check on the First National Bank of Louisville, Ky., in favor of myself. It is buried between two willows that stand as an angle of 45° from the upper abutment of the bridge. If the finder of this restores it to my wife—Beechwood, 495 Fourth street, Louisville, Ky.—he may keep the $800, as a reward for his honesty. If he does not, I will haunt him to his grave. Farewell, my daughter.

"H. E. JONES."

A clever young gentleman of the county of Wyatt received the letter from the negro boy, and, with dreams of that "$800 as a reward for his honesty," mingled with fears of being "haunted to his grave" by the imperturbable Jones, set out soon after for this city, and proceeded to 495, Fourth street, or as near thereto as the numbers led in that direction. Yesterday evening he summed up, and finding himself minus the pecker, and something the wiser, returned to Carrollton. H. E. Jones is doubtless concealed somewhere near these willows, but if he wants the digging done he must do it himself, for Mr. Wyatt swears he won't. "I have drowned myself in the Ohio river, at the mouth of the Little Miami," is a fearful way for a dead man to write, but in these days of progress nothing is incredible.

Go and Hear Him.

Head and shoulders above all the candidates for the Legislature in the Eleventh and Twelfth wards stands "Candy Jack," alias Jack Farris, of Portland. "Candy Jack" is a man of genius, for he parts his hair in the middle, indicative of a well-balanced head. Besides, he is a man of means; that is he carefully avoids extremes, and indulges a fraud disposition to live within his means, and it is sure he means well. He would make a cautious representative, for he was never known to run any risks, although he has been known to take several pleasure excursions, this making the fourth. Five-and-a-time he got three votes, the second time nine votes, and the third time one hundred and thirty-seven. Total, he will be sure his second race trebbled the first, and his third fifteen-and-two-ninth'd the second. He calculates to get among the most pleasant fifteen and two-thirds hundred votes for forty-five and two-thirds; therefore his next vote must necessarily be his first vote, and he must be elected by acclamation, this making the fourth. Five-and-a-time he got three votes, the second time nine votes, and the third time one hundred and thirty-seven. Total, he will be sure his second race trebbled the first, and his third fifteen-and-two-ninth'd the second. He calculates to get among the most pleasant fifteen and two-thirds hundred votes for forty-five and two-thirds; therefore his next vote must necessarily be his first vote, and he must be elected by acclamation, this making the fourth. Go and hear him.

Mortuary Report.

The following is the mortuary report for the week ending June 17, 1871:

HEALTH OFFICE, LOUISVILLE, June 17, 1871.

Cholera Infantum	14	Inanition	1
Cholera morbus	1	Jaundice	1
Congestion of brain	3	Meningitis Cerebo spinal	1
Congestion of lung	7	Meningitis Cerebral	1
Consumption	14	Obstruction of Bowel	1
Convulsions	2	Old age	1
Debility	1	Premature birth	1
Diabetes	1	Pneumonia	2
Diarrhœa	2	Scrofula	1
Dropsy	4	Scrivenor	4
Dysentery	3	Still-born	4
Fever, congestive	3	Teething	5
Fever, intermittent	1	Typhoid-cough	5
Fever, remittent	2	Unknown	1
Fever, typhoid	1		
Total			80

SEX.

Male	47	Female	33

COLOR.

White	80	Black	0

AGE.

Under 1 year	33	1 to 3 years	13
3 to 5 years	6	5 to 10 years	2
10 to 20 years	3	20 to 30 years	3
30 to 40 years	2	40 to 50 years	2
50 to 60 years	2	60 to 70 years	2
70 and over	4		

NATIVITY.

America	68	Germany	8
Ireland	4		

NUMBER OF DEATHS IN EACH WARD.

First ward	6	Second ward	4
Third ward	12	Fourth ward	10
Fifth ward	5	Sixth ward	6
Seventh ward	4	Eighth ward	3
Ninth Ward	8	Tenth ward	4
Eleventh ward	3	Twelfth ward	3
Number without		Medical attention	1

C. B. BLACKBURN, M. D., Sec'y Board of Health.

THE COURTS.

LOUISVILLE CITY COURT.

HON. J. HOP PRICE, JUDGE.

SATURDAY, June 17.

A. Williams and Thomas Lewis, drunkenness and disorderly conduct; fined $5 each; Lewis had cash, same; fined $20; James Lewis and Bill Gray, same; discharged.

Bill Gray, fast driving; fined $5.

John Coon, peace warrant by Maggie Coon; continued on defendant's bond.

Frank Byers, indecent exposure of person and disorderly conduct; fined $5.

Ed. Casey, assault and battery on T. D. Goodman; fined $2.

Coon McCarty, stealing a watch from James Mooney; fined in $100 bond to appear before the Circuit Court.

Charles Hall, one of the inmates of the House of Refuge, was brought before the City Court this morning charged with having escaped from that institution. He was sentenced to be whipped, and the sentence was carried into effect by Officer Hall.

Dan Westfall and Lewis Fisher, maliciously assaulting, beating and wounding Henry Fisher with a deadly weapon with intent to kill; bond for $1,000, and bench-warrant issued for Westfall, and Fisher fined $10.

JEFFERSON COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

HON. H. J. STITES, JUDGE.

Susan E. Williams vs. Waldon & Clark; judgment by default for $455 and interest.

J. W. Morrill & Co. vs. Benton & McSleary; judgment for $128.

Ehrlert & Barr vs. W. H. Dix; dismissed agreed to.

Pat. Finnegan vs. Wm. Murray; time until Monday to file verified answer.

Philip Thornbury vs. Lee & Shrader; motion for judgment submitted.

P. Bohan vs. W. H. Weber; judgment for $350 70 and interest; and, on affidavit filed, immediate execution issued.

Herman Wilbert et al. vs. Adam Kahr; judgment for $156 50 and interest.

Jacob Shuster vs. Emile Winsilli; demurrer to answer submitted.

Ellis & Harris vs. F. R. Lowe; judgment for $367 90 and interest.

Harris, Nahm & Co. vs. M. R. Dinkenspiel; judgment for $327 80 and interest.

S. W. Hays vs. Wm. Moorcock; judgment for $196 and interest.

Home Insurance Company vs. N. C. Selby et al.; motion for judgment submitted.

John J. Grant vs. N. A. Topper; judgment for $147 00.

Thomas Collier vs. Louisville, Cincinnati and Lexington railroad. In this case the defendant, by Messrs. Green & Wright, its attorney, filed answer, and the case was ordered for trial to the 25th day of October, 1871. The plaintiff, Mr. Collier, who is the driver of a "bus" from Jeffersontown to the city, was in a collision, in which by the yard engine of the defendant, at the corner of Floyd and Jefferson streets, by which misfortune he claims damages against the defendant for injuries to his person and to his horses and "bus" in the sum of $5,000. The defendant contends that the damage resulted from the plaintiff's own fault. He, however, had the plaintiff's vehicle repaired. The suit goes on and the trips of the "bus" are not hindered.

All the other cases on the trial docket were either assigned to a day or remanded.

SUBMITTED CAUSES RETURNED INTO COURT TO-DAY BY JUDGE STITES.

Guthrie Coke vs. J. A. Ien Porter et al.; law and facts submitted for decision for plaintiff for $1,597 47 and interest, cost, and $216 05 damages and interest and costs.

Patrick McGreal vs. Wm. Thompson; law and facts case. Judgment for defendant.

Bird Lick Turnpike Company vs. James Pharis; motions in arrest of judgment and for new trial overruled.

Joseph Lathrop vs. A. T. Franklin et al.; motion for new trial sustained.

H. B. Clafflin & Co. vs. Isaac Collins et al.; attachment discharged under 34th section of bankrupt act.

O'Neil & Co. vs. W. L. Murphy; law and facts case; petition dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Thomas Quigley et al. vs. Stephen B. Reed et al.; no briefs in. The Court again admonished the counsel that no action could be taken in submitted causes unless they were briefed.

JEFFERSON COUNTY COURT.

HON. W. B. HOKE, JUDGE.

TRIAL DOCKET.

Charles Williams vs. city of Louisville; time extended two weeks to file bill of exceptions.

M. J. Spalding and J. M. Holloway vs. Dodge, Rhoer & Co.; consolidated cases; jury trial; jury unable to agree and discharged.

A. E. Geoghegan vs. B. Bohannan; judgment for $17 10 confessed, money tendered and case as to balance submitted; continued.

Boll & Mader vs. P. Hybach; judgment of magistrate affirmed.

H. Hermes vs. J. W. Baker; motion of defendant to dismiss suit submitted.

Louisville Insurance and Banking Co. vs. W. Shrellet; case submitted on demurrer to answer.

UNITED STATES COURTS.

HON. BLAND BALLARD, JUDGE.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In re Henry C. Stratton; voluntary petition in bankruptcy filed.

Clark & Hanson vs. Foster et al.; replication to amended answer filed.

E. L. Bines, assignee, et al. vs. Willis Emige; leave given until 19th inst. to file second amended petition.

DECISIONS OF THE COURT OF APPEALS.

Reported Expressly for the COURIER-JOURNAL by DANIEL JAMES,

Attorney at Law, Frankfort.

FRANKFORT, June 17, 1871.

CAUSES DECIDED.

Watson, &c., vs. Neeley's Jefferson; affirmed.

Graves vs. Thompson, Mason; reversed.

Boone vs. Brown, Pendleton; affirmed.

Hyatt, McCready & Co. vs. Scott, Jefferson; affirmed.

Lawrence, &c., vs. Middletown, Louisville Chancery; affirmed.

ORDERS.

Bryant vs. Merchants' Bank of Kentucky, Jefferson; opinion modified, and petition for rehearing overruled.

Ky. Club vs. City of Louisville, Jefferson; Harmony Society vs. City of Louisville, Jefferson; agreement of parties filed and cause submitted.

Hine et al. vs. Tunstall, &c., Louisville Chancery.

Phillips, &c., vs. Dorsey, Jr., &c., Louisville Chancery; continued